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HE TOOK POISON

Erwin McKee Committed Suicide Yestereday

AT HIS HOME ON D STREET

Deed Attributed to Despondency

Edwin McKee, 39 years old and secretary of Highland Council, Royal Arcanum, and a well known citizen committed suicide yesterday between 11 o'clock and noon by taking poison. McKee drank cresolene which contains a large per cent. of carbolic acid and the unfortunate man drank the contents of a two-ounce bottle. The deed is attributed by his family and friends to despondency on account of his inability to secure employment.

He has been out of employment and seeking a position for the last two months. Mr. McKee was for fourteen years shipping clerk for Mr. Nichols at his produce market on Market street. He left Mr. Nichols about a year and a half ago and has not been employed steadily anywhere since. He worked a few months for the Boston and Maine company at the Western avenue freight station and resigned his position several weeks ago on the expectation of taking a more lucrative one with another company. The better position, however, failed to materilize, hence his despondency.

Thursday he procured a position in one of the mills but it was not to his liking. He worked Thursday and at night was very cheerful. Friday morning, Mrs. McKee called her husband and served his breakfast before he went to work. Mr. McKee did not eat a hearty breakfast and while not appearing so cheerful as he did the night before, Mrs. McKee little thought that any intention of self destruction was wrangling in his brain and she is confident that her husband's rash act was not premeditated but was committed in a moment.

Mrs. McKee and her mother came down town Friday morning about 10 o'clock to do some shopping and when nearing the Middlesex street station, Mrs. McKee noticed her husband standing near the station. She approached him and without asking any questions kindly said: "Erwin, I wish you would go right up to the house. I left Harry and Ella alone and they will be lonesome." Mr. McKee said he would go right home and he did.

On reaching the house he said to Harry, the second oldest boy: "I saw your mother down street and she will be home in a little while." Little Ella was playing on the floor and her father took her in his arms and kissing her put her down again and went up stairs. Ella, who had been in Bedford with her grandmother for three weeks had not seen much of her papa of late and after he had been gone a few minutes she started up stairs calling for him. He came to the head of the stairs and told Ella to be a good little girl and not come any further. "Be quick and come down, papa," said little Ella as she retraced her steps down the stairs.

A half hour elapsed when Harry and Ella who were playing together on the floor were startled by hearing some one fall in one of the rooms upstairs. Neither of the children went upstairs, as they thought their father had probably slipped and fell while reaching for something. He resumed his play with Ella but in another few minutes he heard his father fall again and this time he knew the thud which he heard came from the bath room.

He ran upstairs and opening the bath room door part way he saw the body of his father on the bath room floor. Harry is only 11 years old and it is not surprising that he was afraid and ran downstairs screaming. Alexander, the oldest boy, was visiting across the street and Harry went after him.

When Alexander arrived he went immediately to the bath room and found his father unconscious on the floor. The little fellow later said that his father appeared to be choking and he stooped down and released his father's collar and shirt. He said his father tried to speak to him but he was too far gone. Alexander went into an adjoining room and getting a pillow placed it under his father's head. He then went to the nearest telephone and summoned Dr. Field. Mr. McKee was yet alive when the doctor arrived but he was beyond the help of human aid and died a few minutes later.

Besides his wife and children he is survived by his father and one sister. His father is now in Boston and will not know of his son's death until some time today.

BOY SHOT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FITCHBURG, Nov. 4.—John, the 11-year-old son of John T. Keefe, was accidentally shot by his 15-year-old brother Martin about 4.30 yesterday afternoon, and the injured lad is now at the Burbank hospital in a precarious condition.

It was another case of didn't know it was loaded.

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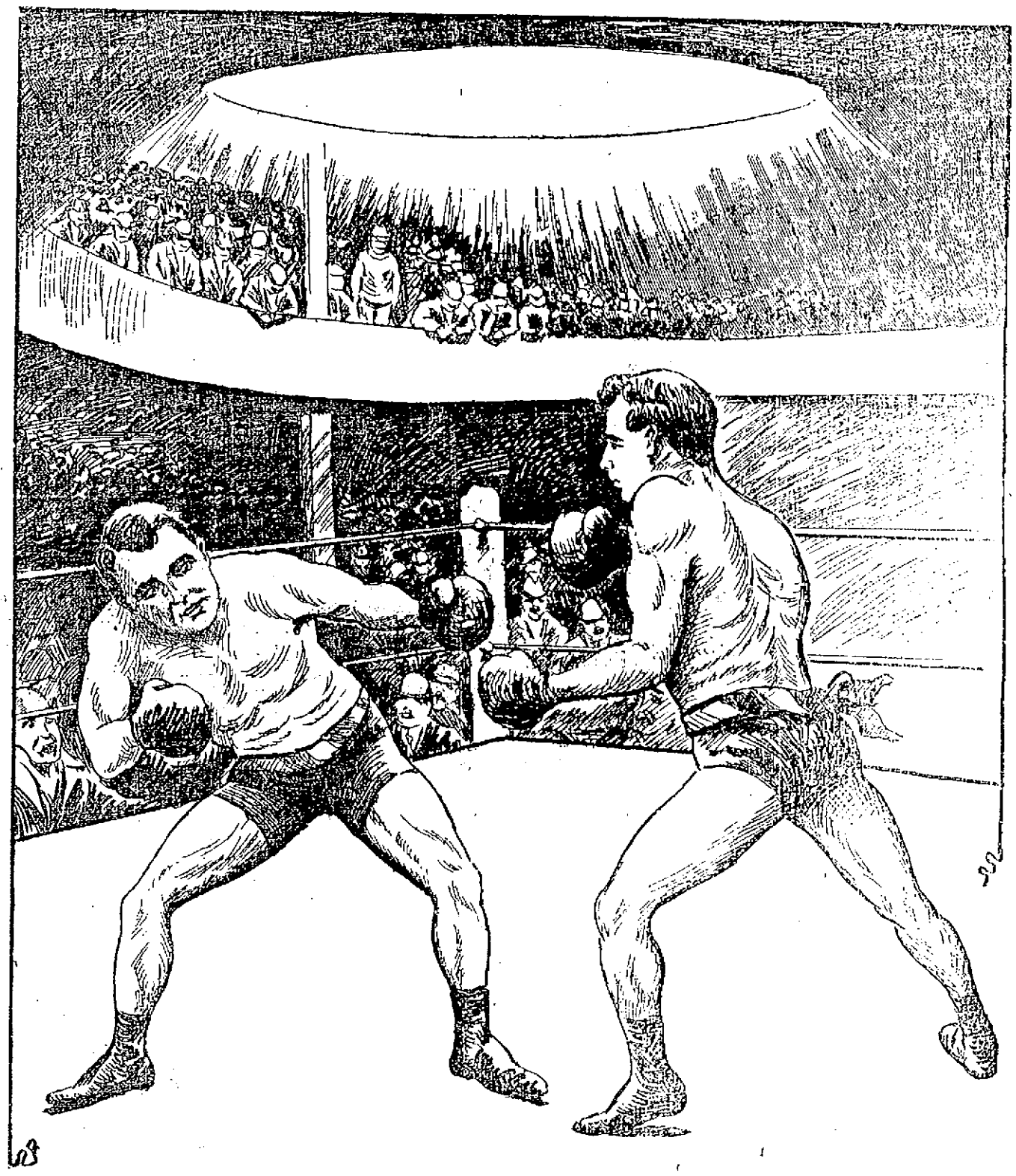

CHAMPION JEFFRIES AND TOM SHARKEY AS THEY APPEARED IN THE RING LAST NIGHT.

Drawn by Roberts, from Description Telegraphed from the Ringside to The Sun.

In One of the Hottest Fights on Record—Jeffries Had the Best of it in Most of the Rounds and Was Awarded the Decision on Points—The Fight by Rounds and the Referee's Opinion

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONEY ISLAND, Nov. 4.—James J. Jeffries, the California boiler maker, is still the champion of the world, having been awarded the decision against Tom Sharkey after the greatest fistic battle of modern times.

Jeffries won on points. At the end of the 25th round, Referee George Siler gave him the decision, deciding him to be the better boxer and ring general though the decision caused considerable dissatisfaction because Sharkey was clearly the aggressor in 20 of the 25 rounds and did nearly all the leading. In the first two rounds, Jeffries belted Sharkey all over the ring and it looked like another case of exploded phenom., but then Tom O'Rourke laid down the law to the sailor and for 20 consecutive rounds after that, Sharkey was the better man. In the 22d round, Jeffries suddenly took on new life and from then to the finish hammered Sharkey at will and had him in a bad way. Had the fight been a finish one it would have been all off with the Sailor, while had Jeffries not lost a glove in the final round it is not improbable that he would have finished Sharkey within the limit. Throughout Jeffries was careful and took no chances while Sharkey fought with bull dog tenacity throughout and was confident to the very end.

O'Rourke said after the fight that two of Sharkey's ribs were broken, but Sharkey evidently didn't beleive it. It was one of the most marvelous battles that have ever taken place and the greatest crowd that ever gathered in the Coney Island house witnessed the desperate struggle for supremacy.

In five rounds Jeffries had the better of the fight in the first two and in the last three. During the other twenty, Sharkey forced the issue and like a bull terrier was at his man with both hands unceasingly. In those twenty rounds, Jeffries' great weight and brawn helped him to hold off the Sailor and in the twenty-second round he swung a couple of vicious uppercuts that made Sharkey groggy. Tom came back again in the 24th and 25th but he was weakened greatly by Jeffries' vicious blows. One minute before the gong sounded to end the fight, Jeffries' left glove came off and practically the contest was over.

The referee motioned to Jeffries' corner so an American flag was thrown around the champion's shoulders the crowd on that side and end of the arena cheering wildly. The crowd on the opposite side and end near Sharkey's corner, yelled for Sharkey and the men were led back to their dressing rooms.

The thousands of spectators were banked 40 feet high around the building and the place was packed from ringside to rafters. The aisles around the ring were lined. The tremendous crowd sweated under the glare of 400 arc lights, 15 feet or less from the canvas of the squared circle. The heat was intense. The fighters were almost exhausted and the spectators shrieked themselves hoarse.

It seemed at first as though it would be a short fight, for in second round Jeffries put the sailor to the ropes with a left on the jaw and the referee began to call off the seconds as Sharkey knelt on the floor. But from the third round on, Sharkey with his vicious swings to the ribs and the jaw, kept the crowd on its feet waiting for a knockout.

Jeffries stood the terrific punishment and with his eye, nose and ear split came back just as viciously in the last three rounds and almost retrieved himself. Then came the unfortunate and unsatisfactory ending, Jeffries' glove flying off, bringing the fight to an end although the crowd urged Sharkey to rush in and end it. This he tried to do but Jeffries fought him back and referee Siler rushed to the rescue. It was noticeable that Jeffries used his weight to its best advantage throwing himself all over the sailor; but the latter did his share of the hugging, too, and both were warned repeatedly.

Ten thousand spectators gathered around the ringside. Though Coney Island was swept by a gale the cars came down crowded to the guards in a swiftly moving line and sports waded knee deep to the narrow entrances leading to the arena.

A preliminary event of 10 rounds at 128 pounds preceded the big event. Kid Goulette of Rochester, who looked a great deal like Jeffries on a small scale, was beaten by Tommy Moran of Brooklyn. Then, after half an hours delay, Tom Sharkey could be seen making his way through the crowd. He was well received but Jeffries was cheered to the echo. Sharkey had on green trunks with an old American flag for a belt while the champion wore black. Jeffries had behind him Billy Delaney, Ernest Rocher, Tommy Ryan and his brother, Jack Jeffries.

Sharkey was led to the southwest corner by Tom O'Rourke and was attended by George Dixon, Morris Kelly and Tim McGrath. O'Rourke superintending the entire procedure.

George Siler refereed. Jeffries weighed 212 pounds and Sharkey 25 pounds less, but he latter looked to be in better condition.

The betting at the start was 100 to 70 on Jeffries.

They shook hands and shaped up well. Jeffries led and then landed several times. He was generally over or under. On the other hand the sailor was wild, going into the fight with both hands and swinging wildly, but he did not land the first blow.

In the second Sharkey was flopping around and he came in for a nasty left that rolled him over. It looked then as though Sharkey was clearly outclassed.

O'Rourke, however, gave the sailor a talking to, and to the amazement of all, Sharkey swung home on Jeffries' ribs

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LADYSMITH TAKEN

In the Suppressed Opinion of London

NO NEWS SINCE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

When Women and Children Left Town

BOERS HAVE INVADED CAPE COLONY

Kimberley and Mafeking Also in Danger

The South African situation is becoming more alarming to England every hour. There is absolutely no news from Ladysmith since Tuesday afternoon and while this may be due to the cutting of the cable, the interruption of the railroad and the isolation of Ladysmith, it is more probably due to the fact that Gen. White has been forced to capitulate.

London is unwilling to admit this, although the inner consciousness of the officials at the war office tells them that the worst has happened.

Despatches to other European nations that pass uncensored say that Ladysmith has fallen and that Colenso is taken. If this be true, it is most probable that Kimberley will be the next point of attack and it, too, will be captured.

Mafeking, too, is in a bad way. The Boers have invaded Cape Colony and are destroying bridges, railroads, telegraph lines, so that when the reinforcements arrive they will find great difficulty in advancing.

WAR OFFICE RETICENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The war office at noon today repeated the statement of yesterday that belated despatches from Ladysmith were coming through. There was nothing given out, however.

Nothing has been received to corroborate the reiterated reports from Berlin of the capitulation of Gen. White.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Pietermaritzburg dated November 1, said Ladysmith was perfectly quiet this morning and another from the same place to the company said that numbers of women and children left Ladysmith yesterday morning on a passenger train escorted by an armored train.

A third dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company dated Cape Town, November 1, announced that the Boers had entered Cape Colony at Norvals Spruit, destroying several bridges.

The British troopship Rapidan which sailed for South Africa, November 1, from Liverpool is returning in a damaged condition, having encountered yesterday's storm. She signalled that her fittings were out of order and that several horses were dead and three of her boats were stove in. She is going to Liverpool to be refitted.

LONDON FEARS THE WORST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The following official announcement has been made by the war office:

"No news has been received from Ladysmith up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. We therefore presume that the wires are still interrupted."

In spite of the silence the officials in the war office did not credit the various rumors as to the position of the garrison and grave anxiety is felt at present regarding the ability of Gen. White to hold his own.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LADYSMITH, Nov. 1—(Afternoon, via Cape Town).—Four naval long range guns have been mounted here.

PROF. WOODBRIDGE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Nov. 4—Luther Dana Woodbridge, professor of anatomy and physiology in Williams college, died here of heart failure yesterday morning.

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ROUSING MEETING

Greeted Paine and Williams in Fall River

A VIGOROUS ATTACK ON TRUSTS

Candidate Paine Attacks Expansion Policy

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 3.—Robert Treat Paine, Jr., George Fred Williams and Quincy A. Lothrop of Boston were the speakers at the democratic rally at the Academy tonight. Patrick J. Doyle opened the meeting, and Senator William Moran presided.

Mr. Lothrop talked on indirect taxation, and endeavored to show that while men working for $400 a year were being taxed 56 per cent., the man with the income of $100,000 a year was being taxed but 6 per cent.

Robert Treat Paine received a cordial welcome from the 1200 people present. His short address dwelt almost entirely with the Philippine question. It was one thing, he declared, to preach about the Declaration of Independence, and quite another to violate its most sacred provisions 7000 miles away. The country that laid down the doctrine that the South American republics should be left free to act and without the interference of any foreign power, violated the good old Monroe doctrine in seeking by purchase and conquest the Philippine Islands.

The speaker quoted Col. Curtis Guild to warn the democrats that they should be careful how they voted this year. Col. Guild stated that there was a field in the Philippines for American capital, and that a new market was open to the cotton goods trade. Mr. Paine stated that since the mills in the far east were run by coolie labor, the American workman could derive but little satisfaction from this acquisition of the government.

George Fred Williams was warmly greeted.

"If," said he, "I had told you three or four years ago that there would be a war of foreign conquest waged by the army and navy of this country, you would have said to me: 'Well, Williams has done some very queer things, but this time he is crazy.' And yet, while a year ago we were congratulating ourselves on the success of our arms in a war for humanity, and our victory over an inhuman Spanish nation, we find tonight that we ourselves have gone into the Spanish business.

"The influence of capital," he said, "has deadened the best sentiments of the country, and had corrupted the fountain heads of liberty. The people were to blame for having suffered this to be brought about. The business man who could not accept what he termed our financial vagaries in 1896 is getting worried. The commercial salesman did not vote with the democrats in 1896, but he is complaining now that a monopoly has made him a mere clerk, if it has not driven him out of business altogether. Even in this city you have seen the tender embraces of a trust. If I should have told you in 1896 that these things would happen, you would have said that I was a demagogue. The statistics show that in one year in New Jersey trusts capitalized at $4,000,000,000 were organized. What liberty is there left you when you are in the hands of one monopoly? What chance has labor with but one employer? What wages can you get with but one concern to get it from?"

LOST $100 IN WALL STREET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Marie Butts, a big, rosy-cheeked Frenchwoman has a fancy for dabbling in Wall street. She lives in a handsome house on Hudson Heights, near Guttenburg. She has brought suit against the Stock Exchange firm of Thomas & Post of 79 Broadway and with uptown offices at Thirty-third street and Broadway. She demands $100, the aggregate of margins she had put up on 25 shares of Brooklyn Rapid Transit and 75 shares of Atchison preferred. Her holdings were sold out on Saturday, May 13, the day of the big slump owing to the death of Roswell P. Flower. Mrs. Butts, under her former name, Mrs. Kamp, had been dealing with the firm, she says, for a couple of years.

LADYSMITH CUT OFF.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The war office has just informed the Associated Press that a report has been received from the governor of Natal, Sir Walter Francis Hely-Hutchinson, announcing that communication with Ladysmith has been interrupted since 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. This is not regarded by the war office, however, as in any wise confirming the rumor of a complete investment of Ladysmith or of the capture of Colenso.

WILL PLEAD GUILTY

THE PLEA JOHN ROBERTS WILL MAKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Nov. 3.—John Roberts, charged with the murder of Maria Letcher is to be tried in this city, Nov. 20.

It is current and apparently well founded talk among the legal fraternity that Roberts is to plead guilty to murder in the second degree, which plea the government will accept, with the result that Roberts' sentence will be imprisonment for life.

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NORTHWEST GALE

Is Keeping the Life Savers Busy

MANY VESSELS IN DISTRESS

Many Boats Were Reported in Shelter

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—The northwest gale which has been raging for over 15 hours and brought the first snow of the season to this locality still continues. Life savers at various lake points have been busy watching for and aiding vessels in distress. The following vessels were reported as being in trouble at various points: Schooner William Dunham, two-master, ashore near St. Joseph, Mich.; steamer, name unknown, ashore on The Shoals near Bois Blanc Island; schooner Kate Lyons from Cheboygan to Chicago, laden with lumber, stranded near Oakland; Schooner Elgin, bound for Chicago, put in at Milwaukee, leaking badly.

The fleet of sheltered vessels in Chicago harbor last night was reported as greatly increased. Over two hundred and forty boats have been reported in shelter during the last two days which means an unusually large list.

The schooner-rigged yacht Chiquita, with a dead man, supposed to be D. S. Way, the owner and captain, lashed to the rigging went ashore in the gale three miles east of Miller's station, Ind. It is believed all the crew and passengers have perished. Garments found in the cabin indicated that at least one woman was among the unfortunate party on the yacht. Where the vessel belonged was unascertained last night but it was thought it was from some Michigan port. The dead man lashed to the rigging was apparently fifty years of age. On his left temple was a deep cut caused by a falling spar. The name D. S. Way was found on a number of papers and effects in the cabin and also on the silverware. In the cabin was found a complete woman's wardrobe and the opinion was that the owner was lost in the cabin there was a fully equipped amateur photographer's outfit and a large number of pictures. The supplies had all been bought in Charlevoix, Mich. The Chiquita was first seen by a fisherman who lives on the shore from Miller's as he was looking for drift wood in the morning. At that time he saw three of the crew on deck. A squad from the South Chicago life savers are patrolling the beach in search of the missing bodies.

VICE-PRES. HOBART

RESTING COMFORTABLY BUT IS GROWING WEAKER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PAERSON, N. J., Nov. 3.—It was said at Vice President Hobart's house this morning that he had passed another comfortable night. He slept well from about 9.30 until 7 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Hobart did not remain up with her husband last night but retired early on the advice of Dr. Newton. The nurse who watched the distinguished patient during the night had no occasion to call the physician after 2 o'clock when he left the Hobart home.

Although Mr. Hobart is resting easily, it is admitted that he is gradually growing weaker. His failure to take nourishment in sufficient quantities is responsible for this.

THE ITALIANS

ARE TAKING PLACES OF STRIKING LONGSHOREMEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—It was said at the Maine steamship line office today that the steamer Manhattan, which arrived last night, was being unloaded by Italians. It was also said that she would sail again tomorrow.

Captain Hall of the company said the Italians had proved apt scholars in handling the freight and that the strike was causing no inconveniences to the company. He said he apprehended no trouble. He has consulted with the directors of the line and they had upheld him in his refusal to accede to the demands of the strikers.

C. E. Soule, superintendent of the southern division of the Central Vermont railroad company here said today that he had 150 Italians at work and would continue to resist the demand of the strikers. He said the Italians were getting $1 a week and 25 cents an hour and that was all the strikers would get if they should return to work.

Both Captain and Superintendent Soule said that they now purposed to lock out the men. They would take back all the men if they should return today.

Notwithstanding the official statements, there was some congestions on the piers of both companies because of the inability of the Italians to cope with the work. The companies were going to hire another pier on which to store incoming cargoes. There were 25 policemen on the docks to keep the strikers away.

SCHLEY GOING SOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Admiral Schley, accompanied by Mrs. Schley, Miss Letterman and General Felix Angus of Baltimore, left Washington at 11.15 this morning over the Southern railway for the south. The party occupied private car No. 101.

VALUABLE CARGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 3.—The whaling bark Charles W. Morgan has arrived here from Okhotsk sea. During her year's cruise, 1500 barrels of sperm oil, 2900 pound of bone and sixty pounds of ambergris were secured. The latter was an especially good find as it will bring from $250 to $300 a pound. The ambergris was landed in Japan and has already been sent to the owners of the vessel J. and W. R. Wing of New Bedford.

The Morgan caught in all 48 sperm whales and two right whales.

On the way home one of the bark's boats was wrecked by a whale which had been struck but all the men were rescued.

STEAMER DEWEY SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—At the office of the U. S. Fruit company, the report that the fruit steamer Admiral Dewey was two days overdue, and that no word of arrival at destination had been received from her up to Wednesday, is stated to be a mistake. A statement to that effect was made by F. S. Jopp, division auditor of the United Fruit company. Messages had been received by telephone, he said, from all over New England, regarding the steamer.

The Admiral Dewey's regular hour of sailing is set Mr. Jopp explained is 8 a. m. Wednesday, and her time from this port to Antonio, Jam., is five or five and a half days. The steamer did not, owing to being in dry dock for inspection, leave here till Thursday at 2 p. m., Oct. 26, and a cable announcing her arrival at Antonio at Tuesday midnight, twelve hours late, on account of rough weather, was received at the company's office Wednesday morning, but was not given out to the newspaper men, which accounts for the erroneous reports of fear for her safety.

WATER RISING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GARDINER, Me., Nov. 3.—The water in Cobbossee stream has continued to rise since the last rain and now has reached a height that warrants the manufacturers in starting up again under full time, which they will do tomorrow morning, and continue so long as the water holds out. The need for rain for the last few weeks was a serious drawback to all the industries along this stream, but it is hoped now that no further difficulties will be experienced in this line.

CROKER'S OVATION

Democratic Leader Cheered at Mazet Investigation

CHALLENGED MAZET TO TAKE THE STAND

And Repeat Statements Concerning Croker

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—There was a good audience present when the Mazet investigating committee opened its session today, drawn by a desire to hear Richard Croker, who had been promised a hearing. Mr. Croker was prompt and was followed by Frank H. Platt and Albert B. Boardman of the firm of Tracy, Boardman & Platt. Before calling the committee to order, Chairman Mazet called his republican colleagues, Fallows and Wilson and Counsel Moss into an ante-room for a consultation. Mr. Fallows remained but a few minutes, but the others had a long conference. Mr. Croker became impatient and said that he had a good deal of work to do.

Five minutes later the chairman came in and rapped for order.

"I am here under oath, I presume," said Mr. Croker, addressing Chairman Mazet, "and I want to deny a statement which you made in your campaign speeches in your district."

Mr. Mazet—"What is it that you want to contradict?"

Mr. Croker—"I want to contradict the speeches you have made in reference to my dealings with the Consolidated Gas company—that I tried to sell Amsterdam stock to that company. That is what I understood you to say in your speech. I deny that now on the stand."

Mr. Mazet—"Is that all, Mr. Croker?"

Mr. Croker—"That is all."

Mr. Mazet—"You are excused."

Mr. Croker—"Will you take the stand and testify that is what you said?"

Mr. Mazet—"Mr. Croker, will you please step down from the stand?"

Mr. Croker complied.

As he left the committee room the people in the corridors cheered him wildly. He made his way to the elevator and was taken down stairs. The crowd continued to cheer and it was necessary to call a policeman from the street to clear the passage way. Most of those in the committee room followed Mr. Croker and left the room almost deserted.

BILLERICA

The annual November town meeting will be held in Billerica, Tuesday, Nov. 7. Precinct one will open at 6.30, a.m. at the town hall and precinct 2, at Republican club building, No. Billerica at 9.30 a. m. The state and county officers are to be elected. The polls will be closed at 4 p. m.

Rev. Minot Simons has sent in his resignation to the Unitarian church to take place Jan. 1, 1900. Mr. Simons has accepted a position in Cleveland, O. at a salary of $3000 per year. Mr. Simons is a graduate of Harvard Divinity college. His first pastorate was in this town at the church where he now is. He is a trustee of the Howe school and it is probable that he will resign at the next meeting of the trustees. The church has done nothing about getting a new pastor. Mr. Simons will be greatly missed by the whole congregation.

Following is the letter of resignation of Mr. Simons:

Billerica, Oct. 27, 1899.

Mr. Luther Faulkner,
Billerica, Mass.,

My dear Sir: I would respectfully inform you as chairman of the parish committee of the First Congregational Unitarian church of Billerica, Mass., that I hereby resign my office of pastor of this church. A call has been extended to me from Unity church, Cleveland, O., which I have decided to accept. I must, therefore, resign my pastorate here, to take effect Jan. 1, 1900.

I take this action with the deepest regret. My ministry in this church has always received the most loyal support, my affections have taken root in this community and among these people and I can assure you that only the opportunity of a larger association, which I trust may not be entirely broken.

Yours Truly,
MINOT OSGOOD SIMONS.

The rails for the electric railway have been strung along the roads now as far as the L. & S. R. R. extends, which is at the town pump. The rails are laid in the ground as far as Bedford.

Mr. E. M. Bartlett, who is now proprietor of the Hillsburst will also carry on his undertaker business.

There is a car of lumber at Bennett hall station for John Barnes' new house on Pollard street Mr. Shultz has the contract to build it.

A new lamp post has been received at Bennett hall station. It has been so dark at the station some nights that a person couldn't see his way.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

BLOCKED TRACKS

BOSTON AND MAINE TRAFFIC DELAYED BY FREIGHT WRECK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—Over 2000 people got more or less mad for about two hours last night near the East Somerville station on account of a delay due to a freight wreck on the western division. Five empty gondola coal cars left the iron at a cross over switch and were more or less smashed by the momentum they had attained in backing down the track south of the bridge. A brakeman whose name could not be learned was sitting on the rear end of the first car and in the crash was hurled to the roadbed and quite badly shaken up.

The cars were a portion of a train of twenty-five or thirty. When they left the rail both inward and outward tracks of the western division were blocked and all traffic was delayed. The accident occurred at 6.05.

All the trains of the Boston & Albany were tied up until the damaged cars could be removed.

At least twenty-five trains were held upon the Western division by the accident, including an express from Maine, locals from different points along the same division and the Medford branch train leaving Medford at 6.10.

BAD ACCIDENT

ELECTRICS COLLIDED IN BOSTON YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—A street railway accident, resulting in severe injuries to a woman and a boy occurred last night when the crowds were most dense at the corner of Washington and Dudley streets.

A Norfolk House car, outward bound, and full of passengers, including the two injured, collided with an inward bound Forest Hills and Atlantic avenue car. The latter had no passengers. Of those in the former, Mrs. Helen Wiedemann of 119 Columbus avenue was thrown violently to the floor and received severe injuries. Her neck and back were badly hurt and at a late hour last night she was reported to be in a serious condition. When she was hurt she was taken to the office of Dr. Philip Sumner and from there after receiving attention she was sent home.

An unknown boy, whose right knee was hurt, received the same physician's attention. The boy had been thrown also in the Norfolk House car when the collision occurred.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

FIREMEN THE VICTORS.

In the Wamesit bowling tournament last night, the Wamesits won all four points from the Columbias and defeated them by a good margin of 243 pins.

For the Wamesits Brainard and Dearth bowled over the 500 mark while for the Columbias Campbell was the only man to go over, with a total of 506. Summary:

WAMESITS.

Brainard	153	187	159—500	8	15	3
McCormick	167	155	162—484	10	10	3
Dearth	185	219	170—574	10	17	3
Merrill	147	168	170—485	3	20	4
Gregory	175	163	126—464	5	16	4
Totals	857	893	826—2566	36	81	17

COLUMBIAS.

Fullerton	142	149	181—472	8	11	0
Chicken	163	139	122—424	8	8	0
Campbell	161	177	164—502	6	17	4
Simmons	139	157	129—425	4	13	0
Howes	170	159	168—497	7	16	2
Totals	773	781	764—2320	33	65	26

FUNERALS.

BROWN—The funeral of Minnie M. Brown will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, 9 State street.

GUINN—The funeral of Edward Gunn took place this morning from his late home, 15 Watson street. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church, where a requiem mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Murphy, O. M. I. The funeral was largely attended. The pall bearers were John and James Morris, John Crighton, John Keefe, John Down and James McQuillian. The services at the grave were read by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

CROSSEN—Impressive services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock over the remains of the late Mary J. Crossen, at her home, 173 Chapel street, Rev. Mr. Craig officiating. The funeral was largely attended and there was a large number of floral offerings, including: A broken harp from the overseers and employes of winding room, Carpet mills; a beautiful mound, degree staff of Lowell Lodge, K. of P.; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wright; crescent star and bar from George Hendry, a brother of the deceased; twenty roses, Mrs. Mary Crossen; spray of pinks, Mrs. Minnie Crossen; horseshoe by the Misses Mary and Josephine Barrett; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Rutherford; spray of chrysanthemums, Miss Brady; basket of roses, Miss Agnes Calens; spray of asters, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark; spray of pinks, Miss Annie Stewart; large pillow, inscribed "Wife" from husband; beautiful spray of roses, Mr. Stephen C. Dickinson; spray of chrysanthemums, Miss Laura Buchanan, Jennie McIntosh; spray of asters, Mrs. Hulme. The bearers were John M. Crossen, Robert Hendry, George Hendry and Hugh Martin. Interment was in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker C. M. Young.

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25c. For Men's Heavy Winter Natural Color Underwear.

38c. For Men's Fleece Lined Heavy Underwear.

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50c. For Men's Double Breasted Wool Fleece Lined Underwear.

55c. For Men's Heavy Jersey Ribbed Underwear.

75c. For Men's Hygienic Fleece Lined Underwear, extra value, colors, cream and natural color.

$1.00. For Men's Double Breasted Camels' Hair Underwear.

95c. For Men's Extra Heavy Fleece Sanitary Wool Underwear.

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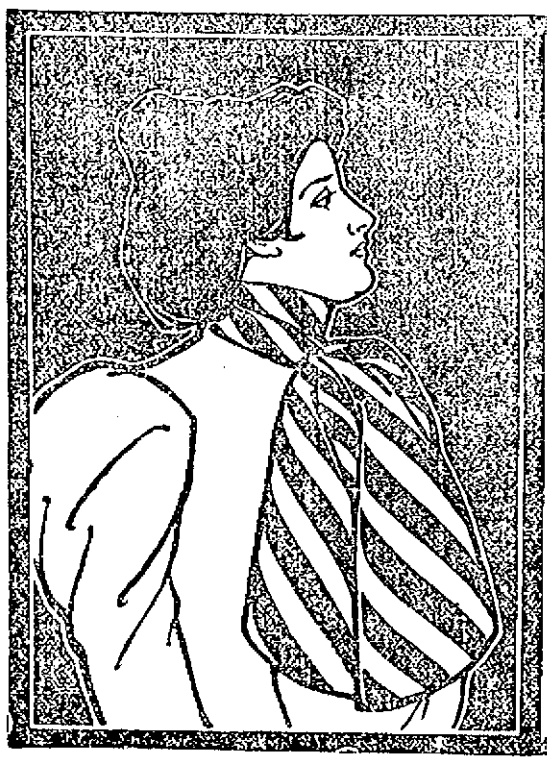

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JAMES J. JEFFRIES, WHO MAINTAINED HIS PRESTIGE AS WORLD'S HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION IN HIS BATTLE WITH SHARKEY LAST NIGHT.

JEFFRIES WON.

(Continued from Page One.)

and jaw almost at will and there was a wild audience. As the fight went along, round by round, the sailor fought his way right into the hearts of those who marveled at Jeffries' capacity for punishment.

The Californian crouched low and though his eyes blazed he smiled and generally glanced at O'Rourke, who was coaching his man over the ropes. Sharkey's vicious punches began to tell and at the close of the seventh it seemed as though Jeffries could hardly walk to his corner, and it seemed certain there would be a new champion.

Sharkey's ear was split in the eighth, and it made him mad like a bull. He rushed, swinging lefts and rights and landed nearly all of them, with Jeffries throwing himself over the sailor. The Californian pushed his man over the ropes at every opportunity and in some of the rounds rested his great head on Sharkey's shoulder so much that he was hissed and jeered.

Jeffries landed a terrific uppercut in the 10th and Sharkey's eyelid was split, but in the 12th Sharkey got back with half a dozen left swings and a straight right and it was wonderful they did not end the fight. Jeffries hugged the sailor hard and shook his head as he went to his corner. Every round carried Sharkey across the ring at the start, and he was fighting the champion all over the canvas.

In the 15th Jeffries made a bluff at forcing, but Sharkey was at him again like a bulldog and swung high and low, and landed almost every time he swung. The Californian made little effort to lead. He preferred the defensive and he was winded. Sharkey, too, was tiring fast and they punched and swung and clinched and staggered all round the ring for the next few rounds.

The crowd shrieked from the sound of the gong to the close of each round. Both men were covered with blood and Jeffries was bleeding badly from his nose, which Sharkey's savage right had split. Suddenly in the 22nd, Jeffries seemed to take on new life. Just at the close of this round the champion swung right and left on Sharkey's jaw and Tom was almost taken off his feet. He reeled and the gong saved him. He came back hard, however in the next but Jeffries had the better of it, putting in two right uppercuts. Jeffries' friends howled themselves hoarse, while Sharkey's urged him on with loud cries to go in hard and rough it.

He threw down his terrier-like head and though is strength was fast leaving him, he had Jeffries' gauge to the gong sound.

No one could say who would get in the knockout blow and neither seemed able if he landed, to put enough force into the blow to drop his man. In the midst of the 25th, nearly one minute before the close, Jeffries' glove flew across the ring and Siler ran to help him on with it. Sharkey held back until his friends yelled at him not to stop and it was a three-cornered fight for a few moments. The referee got Jeffries glove and tried to draw it on. This was difficult to do and then Sharkey rushed. Jeffries threw up his gloved and ungloved hand and with the former uppercut Sharkey. Siler ran between them and made a second attempt to assist Jeffries. The sailor waited a moment but wildly excited by the shrieks of the spectators, he rushed again. Siler dragged Jeffries away and the gong rang. The referee pointed to Jeffries' corner and his seconds and friends cheered wildly.

AFTER THE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3, 1899.—Sharkey in his dressing room immediately after the battle presented a most pitiable appearance. He was crying and his face bore many marks of punishment. His left eye was closed and badly puffed. His left ear was swollen and bleeding and the right side of his face was out of shape. Two ribs on his left side were broken and he was lying on a couch suffering great pain.

His defeat, though, seemed to bother him more than his injuries. He kept talking constantly of what he called the unfairness of Siler's decision, and said that he was honestly entitled to the winner's share of the stakes. He said that he believed he could defeat Jeffries and that all unprejudiced persons who saw the battle would admit that the worst he should have had was a draw.

Dr. Cramer, the club's physician, attended Sharkey after the battle and said that with the physical pain that Sharkey must have suffered he gave a wonderful exhibition of pluck. It was fully half an hour after the contest was ended before the sailor was able to dress and leave the clubhouse. He was so weak and suffered so much pain that he had to stop and rest several times before he got outside the door.

Except for a slight bruise on his nose, Jeffries showed no marks of punishment. He was as happy as a schoolboy over his victory and said that if it had not been for the oppressive heat caused by the lights and the fact that his arm gave him a lot of pain in the seventh round, he would have knocked Sharkey out.

When asked about his plans for the future, or whether he would fight Sharkey again, he said he did not know. It was too early to talk about these affairs at present.

"In view of the fact," said Jeffries, "that I have already beaten Sharkey twice, I don't see why I should meet him again. I certainly clearly demonstrated my superiority over the sailor tonight and I think he is mighty lucky to have escaped a knockout.

Sharkey's friends roundly scored Referee Siler for his decision, firmly believing that a draw was the worst that Sharkey should have received. Tom O'Rourke swears that Siler will never do any more refereeing where he is concerned. No one however, questions Siler's honesty in the matter the blame being placed upon his judgment.

The fight by rounds will be found on Page 6.

THOUSANDS OUT

To Hear Returns From the Fight Last Night

MERRIMACK SQ. NEVER SO CROWDED

And All Looked to the Sun Office

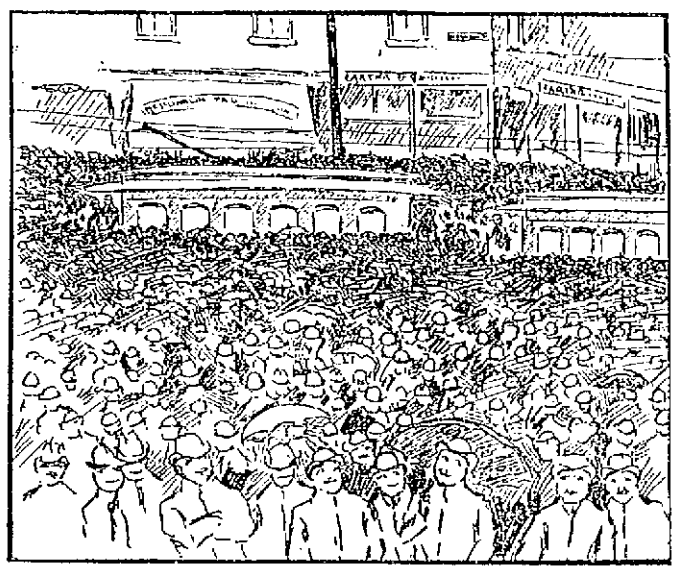
WHENCE CAME QUICKEST RETURNS

While They Hooted the Citizen's Megaphone

Jeffries won and so did The Sun, and last night was the greatest that Merrimack square, in all its varied career has ever seen. No presidential election ever attracted the crowds that last night stood before The Sun building and facing it, unmindful of the downpour of rain for several hours, not dispersing until some time after the result was known when The Sun bulletined the closing scene in the 25th round.

It was an immense gathering, and it began to get around as early as eight o'clock, although the fun didn't start until nearly 10 o'clock. At 9 o'clock, when the preliminary announcements were being made the square was chuked with people and wagons could not get through, electric cars passing only with greatest difficulty. It was a Sharkey crowd throughout and every announcement favorable to the sailor was greeted with great cheering, while the boilermaker's friends were so few that they couldn't be heard until the finish when all cheered the winner.

The Sun spared no pains to give the public the quickest and most accurate and best service, and how well it succeeded the immense gathering which stood facing its windows for hours despite the efforts of our neighbor across the way to attract attention, can testify, as it did by its cheers for The Sun and jeers for its belated contemporary from time to time during the night.



THE SEA OF HUMANITY AS SEEN FROM THE SUN BUILDING, LISTENING TO THE ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE FIGHT AS GIVEN THROUGH THE GREAT SUN MEGAPHONE.

The Sun had its big megaphone in constant use, and its megaphone operators had been taking lessons in voice culture in anticipation of the event.

At the beginning The Sun announced the results from its lower office, but finding the arrangement unsatisfactory got its megaphone nearer the wire and soon remedied the fault and gave a running story of the big fight from start to finish which was later echoed across the street to the great amusement of the crowd which greeted the other megaphonist with cries of "Shut up," "You're dead slow up there," "Come around in the morning and tell us," etc., etc.

The Sun took such a lead on its contemporary at one stage of the game that the latter suspended operations temporarily, holding a council of war with itself.

When the silence across the street was noted The Sun's megaphonist cried out: "Have we silenced the enemy's guns so soon?"

"That's what you have," yelled back the crowd. "You're all right." "They ain't in it with you," etc.

When The Sun announced that Jeffries won, its competitor was dilating upon the 22d or 23d round and upon hearing The Sun's announcement the rival megaphone came to a dead stop in the middle of a round, and a few minutes later, noting perhaps The Sun bulletin in gigantic letters, came out again with "Jeffries Wins," while the crowd gave the announcement the laugh. After announcing the winner, The Sun continued its announcements to the call of time at the end of the 25th round.

It was an exciting time in Merrimack square, and The Sun, as usual, was equal to the occasion. They can all follow us, but The Sun leads, and if you can't take our word ask any one of the 5000 people who cheered The Sun's enterprise in Merrimack square last night.

We cannot see how anybody who reads the Citizen's statement about returns can ever believe anything that the paper says. It has given its untruthfulness and inability to compete with The Sun an advertisement that will long be remembered.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are making a special run on Thanksgiving Carvers. They are selling a fully warranted carver for 88c a pair, regular price $1.33.

FOUND—Recently, some money. Ask for McDonald, 372 Merrimack street.

THE CARPET MILLS

May Consolidate With Other Concerns

PLAN ARRANGED FOR DEAL

The Lowell Directors Favor the Plan

The stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company have received notice, advising them of a proposed consolidation of that company with the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by W. J. Whittall of Worcester. The terms proposed are seven shares of the new company's stock, par value $100, for one share of the Lowell company, par value $250.

The last sale of the Lowell company's stock was at 512½, or nearly $150 less than the par value of the stock.

The notice to the stockholders is in full as follows:

To the Stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing Company:

It has been suggested that the business heretofore conducted by the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that conducted by the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by M. J. Whittall of Worcester, can be united to the advantage of all the parties interested, owing to the large saving of expense if the business of all three concerns be conducted under one management, and owing to other important advantages.

For this purpose it is proposed that a new corporation be formed under the laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million and thirty thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the assets, both real and personal, of the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation assume and agree to pay the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks of the Bigelow Carpet company, together with an amount of its quick assets equivalent to one million dollars in value, and that such new corporation purchase for four hundred and seventy thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value) the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks used by M. J. Whittall in his business of carpet manufacturing at Worcester and Palmer, together with seventy thousand dollars in value of the personal property of said Whittall used by him in said business.

This plan is the result of long and careful consideration and discussion, and in the proposed combination there is nothing whatever to be paid for commission or promoters' fee. The total capital stock is to be $4,500,000.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company has been called to act upon the proposal to sell all the assets of the corporation upon the terms stated.

By this sale the stockholders in the Lowell Manufacturing company will receive seven shares of stock in such new corporation, of the par value of one hundred dollars each, for each share of stock in the Lowell Manufacturing company held by them.

It is then proposed to wind up the Lowell Manufacturing company, close its concerns, and take legal steps necessary to procure its dissolution.

The directors unanimously advise the stockholders to vote in favor of the proposed plan.

It is essential that a majority of the stock be represented at the meeting, and it is very desirable that all stockholders be represented.

If you are in favor of a sale of the assets of this company upon the terms stated and are unable to be present at the meeting, please sign and return promptly the enclosed proxy, which will be voted in favor of the proposed sale; and the revenue stamp required by law will be affixed and cancelled before using the proxy.

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ISRAEL G. WHITNEY,
AUGUSTUS LOWELL,
JOHN HOGG,
GEORGE F. RICHARDSON,
JACOB ROGERS,
ARTHUR T. LYMAN.
Directors of the Lowell Manufacturing Company.

The many friends of Mr. John Murphy of West Third street, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. will regret to learn that he left the city Wednesday for California, on account of his health. His friends wish him a safe journey and a rapid return of health.

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HARVARD-U. OF P.

Two of the Big Four Meet Today

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Big Crowd Out to See the Game

Today two elevens of the "Big Four" clash for the first time this year. Harvard will play the University of Pennsylvania eleven on Franklin Field in Philadelphia.

All the traditions of football point to a victory for Harvard and, if by any chance, or any exhibition of good play, Pennsylvania should win or even tie the score, football prophets will feel like packing their belongings into a carpet bag and removing themselves from the sight of man.

Pennsylvania's career this fall has not been one of glittering victories with plenty of time light and red fire on the side. The eleven has wandered upon a path of thorns hedged in by barb wire fences, and whichever way the players turn they are jabbed by the goads of criticism.

This year Pennsylvania not only has lost games, but has lost to one of its bitterest foes, and has been scored against by colleges that were child's play for the red and blue before.

From the beginning of the season Harvard has played excellent football. The hardest game that the college has had was with the Indians. Although Carlisle scored against the Crimson the Cambridge men profess to be satisfied with the work of their men and are quite confident that they will beat the Quakers today.

Coach Woodruff has kept the Pennsylvania players on the jump since the training season began. Some of them have played two or three different positions. Men, who were drilled in past years to guard the line, have been suddenly shifted to places back of the line, and other players, who knew well how to play certain line positions, have been moved into other places.

Most of the critics outside of Philadelphia are of opinion that the absence of a settled policy regarding the eleven has worked to Pennsylvania's disadvantage. Why shouldn't that be the case? It is a good player who can be tackle one year, guard another and half back a third.

Harvard men are playing mostly in the positions that they occupied last year. Wherever a new man needed to be substituted it was only for the reason that some player of the eleven of 1898 had graduated. The moment that the Harvard eleven's season of coaching began a fixed plan was adopted, and it has been pursued almost without deviation since the beginning of the year.

Granting that Harvard's chances to win seem far brighter than those of Pennsylvania, it is safe to assume that the Pennsylvania eleven will play better football than it has been playing since the beginning of the season. The game at Chicago last Saturday showed that beyond all question Chicago is a strong eleven, so strong, in fact, that it really should have scored more times against the Quakers had it not been for the unexpectedly strong defensive play put up by the Pennsylvania men.

This defensive play should be improved during the present week, and when the crimson eleven meets the Quakers today, it will be decidedly astonishing to those who have given the evolution of football a study if the Pennsylvania players do not make Harvard's path a stormy one.

Possibly Pennsylvania will score. Once the heavy men on the Quaker line get thoroughly in earnest and in full motion, with that wonderful ability of theirs to push their weight through almost any kind of opposition in the shape of flesh and blood, it generally means that all is over for the players on the other side. Quietly a few wagers have been made in New York on the game. It is needless to say that even the most enthusiastic of Pennsylvania's graduates have not been ready to wager that their eleven will win, but many of them have enough confidence left in their old alma mater to defy Harvard men by betting that Pennsylvania will score. Even that bet to some seems to be the expression of forlorn hope rather than real indication of genuine assurance in the eleven.

There is a big demand for choice seats for the Columbia-Cornell game in New York on Tuesday next. It is believed that the undergraduate and alumni will turn out in larger numbers than ever before in order to give an ovation to the Columbia eleven and to encourage the players in their struggle with the powerful Ithacans. The fact that the two teams which defeated Yale and Princeton by the same score on the same day are to fight for supremacy on Columbia Field next Tuesday is sufficient notice to football enthusiasts that a battle royal is in store for them. While Coach Sanford makes no announcements, he will probably meet Cornell with the team that beat Yale without a change. It looks like a case of even money on the result and make your own selection.

There is a feeling among the members of the Columbia 'Varsity players that Yale will defeat Princeton on November 25th, at New Haven. The Columbia men say that Yale has the material for a fine eleven and they expect the coaches to pound it into winning form. Slocovitch, of the Columbia team, who is a former Yale 'varsity man, says that Yale might surprise Harvard. He calls attention to the fact that in 1897 Yale's team was generally berated for playing a draw with West Point and that that disaster was predicted for the Blue. After that, however, Yale played Harvard at Cambridge 0—0, and then beat Princeton's stars 6—0 at New Haven. Slocovitch believes that the Yale eleven this fall can be made a winner by good training and constant coaching. As a betting proposition, Yale will have plenty of supporters when the Tigers line up at New Haven.

DEATHS.

McCLARY—Julia A. McClary, aged 44 years, wife of Daniel McClary, died yesterday at her late home, 129 Paige street.

PEARSON—John Pearson, aged 48 years died this morning at his late home, 257 Fayette street. Deceased was employed in the Merrimack Print Works for the past twelve years and was a devout member of the Immaculate Conception church. Besides a wife Mary, he is survived by six children, Mrs. James Hanlan, Mrs. Thomas Leeson, Mrs. Samuel Mullin, Miss Sarah Pearson and James and John Pearson. The funeral will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception church.

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ON THE DEMAND FOR HIGHER WAGES

The Operatives Not Left Without Hope

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 4.—The hopes of Fall River's mill population were dashed to the ground late yesterday as a result of the special meeting of the Fall River cotton manufacturers' association, called to consider the demand for an increase of 10 per cent, made by their employes through the textile council at the conference held last Monday with a special committee of the manufacturers' association.

The manufacturers voted not to grant the increase at the present time, tempering it, however with the statement that should the market conditions warrant it, an increase may be granted later.

The manufacturers, at the conclusion of the meeting, gave out the following vote, which was passed just before its conclusion:

"Voted—That it is the sense of the meeting that an advance of wages at this time is inexpedient, in view of the fact that the margin between the cost of print cloths is no more than it was when the advance of 12½ per cent of April last was made and the present scale of wages adopted.

"Should business improve so that the margin of profit will warrant it, an advance of wages will be made but we believe that any advance at the present time would be premature."

The special committee which met the textile council in conference was also given power to prepare a sliding scale of wages. An attempt had previously been made to establish such a system, but the committee having the matter in charge failed to report it.

Among the operatives the general feeling was one of disappointment but some of them looked upon the implied promise of an increase later as a hopeful sign. These mill workers, however, have the utmost faith in their leaders, and most of them are confident that they will ultimately gain the increase asked for.

Sec. Ramseville of the Manufacturers' association will probably mail the formal notification of the manufacturers' decision to Sec. Whitehead of the textile council, and a meeting of that body will be called probably for Saturday evening.

SHE QUIT COFFEE

And Got Well in Common Sense Way.

"When I left off coffee, it seemed that was the thing hardest to drop. I had been put on a diet for stomach trouble, had a good appetite but no food would stay on my stomach. I was compelled to leave off one thing after another but never suspected coffee. When I decided to leave off the coffee, however, no stomach trouble ceased entirely, also my nervousness and I can again sleep well. But a new trouble then arose. How was I to get along without my coffee? It was a great temptation when I saw it on the table in the morning. One day a friend who knew of my case sent me a package of Postum Cereal Food Coffee. After it had been prepared, I had great misgivings about using it, for it looked so much like fine coffee that I feared it would have the same effect, but I soon found it to be free from all injurious properties and its use has been of great benefit to me.

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CONSUMPTION

To the Editor—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., No. 183 Pearl Street, New York.

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POLICE COURT

BRIEF SESSION THIS MORNING.

The session of police court this morning was quite brief. Judge Hanley was on the bench and only one drunk was arraigned. He was a simple offender and was discharged by the court.

James Harkins was found guilty of assault and battery on his wife and was found guilty and ordered to recognize in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months.

The case of Christos Antimonis, charged with illegal keeping and illegal sale of liquor, was again continued at the request of counsel for the defense. The case will come up again Monday.

The liquor case against John B. Marston and Lizzie M. Marston of Tewksbury was put over till Tuesday next.

Big reduction in Eastman Kodak Company's Cameras. See the Thompson Hardware Company's advertisement.

If you are going to build or alter your building, and want masons' supplies, W. H. Livingston can furnish you with the best of stock at low prices.

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And of course it is quite necessary to have a supply of sweet bread for these occasion, and Peter Watson's, the king baker of the city, is the place to get your Bakery Supplies. There is none better in the city than you can get at

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THURSDAY, Nov. 16,

AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

Administratrix sale of the beautiful McCartin residence, house, barn and about 7800 square feet of land at No 71 Dover street.

In order to settle up the estate of my late husband, I will positively sell at public auction on the day advertised, rain or shine, the residence which I now occupy at 71 Dover street. I am perfectly aware of the dull market in real estate, and being so late in the fall, I will have to be content with the price it will bring. I have two reasons for selling the above property, one to settle up the estate; and the other, as there is no one in family but myself, the house is too large, and under these circumstances the property will be sold for just what it will bring, on the day advertised for sale. The house is a two and one-half story structure of ten rooms, bath, small ell, unfinished attic, and an extra good cellar, divided as follows: Parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, pantry, and small ell with refrigerator on first floor; five beautiful and comfortable sleeping rooms and bath on second floor. It is a very convenient house, heated by steam, set tubs, hot and cold water, electric bells, and is in good repair inside and out. The barn is practically new, being built by Mr. McCartin. It contains one single stall, one box stall, a nice harness closet, carriage room for four carriages, and is all concreted, the lower part of the barn is sheathed and stained and makes a very fine place; also a large loft with good room for storage of sleighs, etc., and in fact is a model barn in every respect.

The lot has a frontage of about 65 feet on Dover street and an extreme depth of about 118 feet, making an area of about 7800 square feet, and is all nicely fenced in, has concrete driveway and walks, and a beautiful hedge or evergreen on the curve of the driveway makes a very nice appearance from the street. There is a splendid lawn with its trees and shrubbery, and this land being high, makes it one of the choice lots of the Highlands.

Location is certainly one of the very best in our city. Dover street is located between Branch and Westford streets, and just far enough away to be free from the noise and dust, and still be within two minutes' walk from the Westford or Branch street lines, right in a location with many of our best business men and in the vicinity of many costly residences. It is convenient to schools and churches and is but a short walk to the depot or post office. With the many advantages this property possesses, it should certainly interest some business man who is looking for a desirable and profitable home, for this is an opportunity seldom offered at public auction.

For further information call on the auctioneer, who will be pleased to show you the premises.

Terms, $500 to be paid at time and place of sale. By order of
KATE McCARTIN,
Administratrix of the state of Frank McCartin.
DANIEL J. DONAHUE, Attorney.

TUESDAY, Nov. 14.

The Personal Property of J. P. Coburn, Tyngsboro, Mass., Cows, Horses, Wagons, Hay Fodder, Lumber, Hens, Harnesses, Furniture and Farming Tools, commencing at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, Nov. 17.

At 10 o'clock a. m. the printing plant of Barnes & Co., call at the office or the auctioneer for a catalogue.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Of the real estate and personal property of the late Charles A. Kimball, Tyngsboro, Mass., Monday, Nov. 20, commencing at 9.30 o'clock. See advertisement later.

SPECIAL.

At our regular sale Saturday, Nov. 11, at 11 o'clock, three very fine family horses, one depot wagon almost new, one Goddard buggy, and one open buggy. This lot comes from a well known private family and will be sold for just what they will bring. Call and see them.

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THE AFRICAN SITUATION.

The situation in South Africa is very embarrassing to England at the present time as Ladysmith is isolated, while the Boers can shell it into surrender from the surrounding hills. Therefore General White's capitulation with his entire army is a foregone conclusion; while Kimberley is surrounded by the valiant Boers and liable to fall at any moment with Colenso, the base of retreat from Ladysmith cut off. In addition to all these adverse conditions the Zulus are rising against their old enemies, the British; the Dutch of Bechuanaland and Griqualand are also ready to join the ranks of the Boers. In fact, there is at present great danger of a general uprising of all the South African states against England.

If the Boers capture Ladysmith and Kimberley with the troops stationed at both places, they will be ready to meet and defeat the biggest army England can send there as soon as it arrives. Thus one army after another can be annihilated as fast as they arrive until England comes to terms and acknowledges her defeat. Any such outcome of the war would result in the establishment of a republic comprising all the South African states and Paul Kruger would be hailed as the Father of His Country, while General Joubert would be honored as the foremost hero of the land.

Ex-Rep. Fred Rourke served two years in the legislature, during which he proved himself one of the straightest democrats that ever sat in the house. A special effort should be made to elect such a man. The same can be said of Lieut. Quigley, who served so honorably last year as representative of the 25th district. Although Mr. McNabb, the other nominee has never been in the legislature, he is a most deserving candidate and should receive with the two mentioned the full democratic vote. Watson and McKinley, the poor farm trickster and trader, should be elected to stay at home and for Robbins the republicans of the Lowell end of the district don't intend to send him to the legislature. That is one reason why the three democratic candidates feel so confident.

Representative Ames managed to draw two salaries last year, one from the state as representative and one from the nation as a soldier. That is practically what General Wheeler was criticized for, although they were federl offices he held. Can an ordinary man fill two offices acceptably at the same time or is there such a scarcity of men that it is necessary to have any one man hold two offices? The Lowell republicans of the 27th district will cut the unknown from Carlisle as they cut Farmer last year in their effort to make Ames high man. Watch the returns and see if this statement does not prove true.

Professor McVane of Harvard is quoted as saying that the Boers have actually no idea of civilization. Some of these college professors show more impenetrable astinitty to the square inch than do the most wooden-headed lot of Indians on the American continent. No better proof of the civilization of the Boers need be sought than a statement in Gen. White's despatches which read as follows:

"Gen. Joubert at once despatched a letter to me offering a safe conduct to doctors and ambulances to remove the wounded."

And now Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin gets a loving cup from Mr. Shuman of Boston. The lord mayor, however, is not looking for gifts or honor for himself. He is here in aid of the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the late Charles Stewart Parnell, and to raise funds sufficient to free his estate from debt, an object upon the propriety of which there is a great diversity of opinion among the friends of Ireland.

Rep. Watson's legislative record is not one that can be commended by republicans, much less by democrats. On many of the important questions he was absent, but on every matter involving the interests of labor he managed to be present that he might vote in the negative. His record in this respect accords well with his action in helping Mr. Ramsay to rob Chelmsford republicans of their apportionment.

City Solicitor Qua does not seem to be sure whether the city has any power over the use or disuse of the first street car line. It is difficult to tell from the lengthy opinion he has submitted just what he does think in regard to the matter. The aldermen will probably call upon him for his opinion upon the opinion he has just given out on the matter.

A rather comical incident occurred at the Parnell memorial meeting in Boston. One of the inscriptions over the stage was a quotation from Wendell Phillips to the effect that "Parnell made John Bull listen." By a misarrangement of the letters in the last word it read "silent."

That new landshark that bought up the corporation property started off by raising rents. Perhaps he thinks that he can get higher rents than were paid to the corporations. He may succeed in collecting them until the tenants look up new quarters, but no longer.

The American style of boxing by some is considered bad enough, but the French style, in which the contestants are allowed to work in a kick whenever they can, should be banished beyond the lines of civilization.

Collinsville is to be pitied in having so many cases of typhoid fever. It is due to the impurity of the water used. The germs of the disease will remain for years unless the usual precautions are taken to eradicate the disease completely.

The battle of the giants is over and some of the sports have lost their money. Still this will not deter them from betting on the next fight. Jeffries had the hardest fight of his life.

Gen. Funston says the war in the Philippines will be ended next year. Some people think it would be ended this year had this happened to be the year of the presidential election.

Mr. Bryan is making a noble fight for victory in Ohio. If McLean be beaten at the polls it will be because of the enemies he has made through his newspaper.

We rather surmise that Collins will knock out Murphy in the first round in the fight for the championship in Boston.

Get ready to vote the straight democratic ticket on next Tuesday.

THE LEATHER TRUST.

The American Hide and Leather company, the company which secured the M. Robson leather company of this city has issued its first prospectus, says the Salem News.

The corporation is a combination of about 25 independent companies and firms, with plants in various parts of the country.

The total authorized capital stock is $35,000,000, of which half is seven per cent. cumulative stock, and the remainder common stock. In addition to the stock the company has issued $10,000,000 six per cent. first-mortgage bonds.

It is understood that the various plants that have entered the combination received stock to the amount of one-half the agreed price of the plant, and a bond for the remainder, the bond not to be placed on the market or publicly negotiated until after a year from the date of the forming of the combination. The proprietors of the plants that entered the combine, and which are kept in operation, are to receive liberal salaries to manage their respective factories or plants.

LADIES' GYMNASIUM CLASS.

The ladies' class of physical culture at the Young Women's Christian Association will be organized on next Tuesday evening, the 7th at 7.30 o'clock. The work for this season will be in charge of Mrs. H. L. Dietz, wife of Mr. Dietz of the local Young Men's Christian association. Mrs. Dietz is well qualified to conduct these classes, having had several years of experience in assisting Dr. Dietz with his work of the ladies' class at the San Francisco Y. M. C. A.

As a basket ball player, Mrs. Dietz has few equals, having played right forward for the ladies' team of San Francisco for two years and at the same time acting in the capacity of manager.

Only the lighter class of work will be attempted in this department and suited to meet the demands of those participating.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Mr. Alexander Charette, of Gershom avenue, father of George Charette of the Merrimac's crew, has received a letter stating that his son, Thomas was seriously injured a few days ago in an accident in Connecticut, and one of his legs had to be amputated.

TESTIMONIAL DANCE.

A testimonial dance was given John Hancock last night and the affair proved a huge success. About 200 couples attended. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, the Middlesex orchestra furnishing music. The following officers had charge: General manager, John H. Spillane; assistant, Fred Cronin; floor director, Bernard Lynch; assistant, William J. Quinlan; aids, Timothy Fitzgerald, Thomas Kearney, Richard Murphy, James Beerson, James Murphy, John Hyde, James Hyde and Jerry Danahy; secretary, Patrick Harrington, J. J. Shanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tonk of Richmond, P. Q., who have been visiting at the home of E. K. McGauvran in Arlington street, return to their Canadian home to day.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Over the Remains of Bishop Neeley.

MANY CLERGYMEN WERE PRESENT

The Interment Was in Evergreen Cemetery

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 4.—The funeral of Bishop Neeley was held yesterday afternoon in St. Luke's Cathedral, in the presence of a great number of members of the church and friends of the deceased. A large number of visiting clergy were present and almost every clergyman in Maine was there.

The body was enclosed in a solid oak casket and the inscription on the plate was as follows:

"Henry Adams Neely, D. D.,
Second Bishop of Maine,
Died on the eve of All Saints' Day, 1899.
Aged 62 years and 5 months."

The casket was covered with flowers and rested in the chancel. The throne of the bishop was draped in black.

Among the visiting clergy were the following:

Bishop Lawrence, Massachusetts; Bishop McVickar, Rhode Island; Bishop Niles of New Hampshire; Bishop Hall, Vermont; and Bishop Brewster of Connecticut; Rev. Dr. W. Hugh Ketchum of St. Andrews', N. B.; Rev. Melville McLaughlin of New Brunswick; Rev. J. G. Foster, Rev. L. B. Storrs, and Rev. Charles L. Hutchinson of Massachusetts; Rev. F. S. Sills and Rev. C. W. Hayes of New York, and Rev. C. W. Ogden of Pennsylvania.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning the holy communion was again celebrated by Bishop Niles.

The body, which lay in state Thursday evening, in front of the altar, was removed by the clergy to the chancel and there three clergy watched by it all night.

The funeral service took place at 12.30 o'clock yesterday noon and was the regular service of the church intended for such occasions.

The procession was formed with the vested choir in front, followed by the Maine clergy. Then came the visiting clergy and Rev. Huston Sawyer, bearing the pastoral staff of the late bishop. The honorary canons of the cathedral came next and then the Very Rev. Dr. Charles M. Sills, Dean of the Cathedral. The bishops were next and then the pall bearers, consisting of the young clergy, as follows:

Rev. Harry Hudson, Rev. A. B. Patineau, Rev. G. B. Nicholson, Rev. John R. Norwood, Rev. T. E. Calvert, Rev. I. C. Foster, Rev. Arthur Stewart and Rev. L. E. B. W. Fowler.

Rev. Dr. Sills read the opening sentences and Psalms, Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, the lessons, and Bishop Hall of Vermont the prayer.

At Evergreen cemetery the burial service was read by Bishop Niles.

There were many carriages at the grave, most of the clergy present going to the last resting place of the bishop.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

TO BE OBSERVED BY THE BURKES TOMORROW.

Last evening an adjourned meeting of the Burke Temperance Institute was held and twenty-six new members were admitted. Arrangements were completed for the observance of Memorial Sunday tomorrow when the society will hold special services commemorative of deceased members.

The cemetery will be visited and services held at the grave of ex-president Michael E. Sexton. Again at the hall in the evening at 8 o'clock when a literary and musical entertainment will be given.

The address of the evening will be delivered by Mr. John H. Harrington while Miss Adelaide E. Sullivan, Miss Margaret McCaffrey, James E. Donnelly and Austin Ball will sing. The ushers appointed for the evening are Messrs. Frederick Smith, chief; John Keegan, William Gleason, Thomas Walsh and Charles Gallagher. The public is cordially invited to be present at the evening exercises. The programme will conclude with remarks by Mr. E. J. Slattery.

Robert Lindsay, the new physical instructor, will be at the gymnasium every Monday and Friday evening until further notice.

John W. McEvoy, Esq., will lecture on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21.

CAKE WALK

PRIZE AWARDED TO THOMAS McHENRY AND MISS BULLIS.

A dance and championship cake walk was held last evening at Associate Hall under the auspices of the Tribune club and proved a complete success in every way. One of the largest crowds of the season was present during the evening.

The feature of the evening, of course, was the championship cake walk which commenced promptly at 10 o'clock. The contestants were George Hurner and Miss Patrick; John Martin and Miss Viola Dupont; Mr. Harvey Chandler and Miss Gaudette of Nashua; Thomas McHenry and Miss Jennie Bullis (colored), Thomas Armstrong and Miss Fay.

It was an interesting contest and all of the walkers gave a fine exhibition and were liberally applauded. The judges were: Harry Melkiejohn, Fred Rogers, Joseph Fitzgerald, Thomas Conners and R. Borrison of Nashua and Joseph Freeman acted in the capacity of master of ceremonies.

The judges retired after the walk was over and after a brief session declared Mr. McHenry and Miss Bullis the winner and the championship of the Merrimackers. The contest was for a prize of $50 and the championship of the Merrimack valley.

Fred H. Harrington was general manager of the dance and was assisted by H. Cuhlberg. Dancing was resumed after the cake walk.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Taggart from Burlington, Vt., are guests of Mr. H. E. Huse of Beacon street. Their friends will be interested to know that they sail next week for Dresden, Germany, where they intend to reside, the doctor having become associated in business with one of the leading American dentists of that place.

By J. E. CONANT & CO. - - - - - Auctioneers
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WEDNESDAY, Oct. 8th.

The first annual dispersal sale of Trotting Stock, Trotting Bred Road Horses, Gentlemen's Driving Horses, and Family Horses at the Lookout Farm South Natick, Mass., is to take place Wednesday, Nov. 8th, 1899, beginning promptly at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon regardless of weather or attendance. Thirty head will be offered and sold no matter what is bid for them.

The sale will include Gurgles Boy (4) 2.15 1-4; Bermuda Wilkes (3), 2.24 1-4; trial 2.18 on half mile track; Nelson Allin, 2.21 1-4, trial 2.14 1-4; Daisy H., 2.25; Nordhoff, 2.29 1-2, trial 2.20 this year; Silverod, full brother to Gurgles Boy, (5), trial at home track this year, 2.22 1-4; Edna Wilkes, 2.21 1-4, the dam of Goldin, 2.18 3-4; Speaker Reed, by May King, the sire of Bingen, 2.06 1-4, also the get of May King, Red Wilkes, Emperor Wilkes, Pure Wilkes, Abdalbrino, Nelson Wilkes (Nelson's), Argon, Bermuda, Stambouia, Sir Walter, Jr., Edermark and Constantine.

With one exception the youngest animal to be sold is past three years of age. Nearly all are good size; all are excellent color; every one is perfectly broken, has good manners; there are many elegant road horses; all have some very fast brush horses; all have more or less action and a few have extreme action. As a matter of fact the sale presents a lot of high class and fashionable horses. You can see, examine and ride after them any time during the day on the Monday or Tuesday preceding the day of sale.

Should the day selected for the sale prove unpleasant or stormy there is ample room in the immense barns for the sale to take place under cover. Barges will meet the 9.30, 10.32, and 11 o'clock trains via B. & A. R. R., from the new South Terminal Station in Boston, at Wellesley, to take all passengers to the farm who may care to attend the sale. Barges will also meet the passengers from the electric cars in the square at So. Natick up to 1 o'clock noon, the day of sale. The term will be cash or satisfactorily endorsed bankable paper. Send to the office of of the auctioneers by mail or otherwise for descriptive catalogue.

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There are some people who have piles as frequently and regularly as other people have colds.

Any little bowel trouble will bring them on; any extra exertion as in lifting will produce them; and in fact they will often appear without any apparent provocation. Piles, however, are much more serious than a cold, as the tendency is always to grow worse until the trouble becomes deep seated and chronic or develops into some fatal rectal disease.

While there are many pile remedies which give relief, yet there is but one which not only gives instant relief but at the same time makes a permanent cure and that is the well known Pyramid Pile Cure.

This remedy is composed of simple, harmless vegetable ingredients, but combined so effectively and act so promptly and thoroughly that it cures every form of piles, whether itching, blind, bleeding or protruding.

In long standing cases the Pyramid Pile Cure has proven to be the only certain cure except a surgical operation, and its advantages over an operation are many, as it is painless, causes no delay or interference with daily occupation and last but not least, it is cheaper than any surgical operation could possibly be.

The cases that the Pyramid Pile Cure will not reach are so few that physicians are doing away with operations for piles and depending upon this cheap but effective remedy to accomplish a complete cure, and never disappoints except in cases beyond the reach of medical skill.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is prepared by the Pyramid Drug Co., of Marshall, Mich., and for sale by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. Each package contains a treatise on cause and cure of piles, together with testimonials from every section of this country.

EXCISE TAX

LOWELL & SUBURBAN TO PAY CITY $1610.29 ON ITS BUSINESS.

According to chapter 578 of the acts and resolves of 1898, all railway companies are subject to an excise tax in accordance with the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts in addition to their other and regular taxes.

Each year beginning this year, all companies in the state are called upon to render to the assessors a report before Oct. 15, giving the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts and in accordance with this provision both the Lowell and Suburban and Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill have submitted their reports and the amount of the tax has been computed.

The law and all its bearings is a long one but below is enough to show its relations to the city of Lowell.

Section 5. Every street railway company shall on or before the 15th day of October in each year make and file in the office of the board of assessors of every city and town in which any portion of the railway operated by it is situated, a return signed and sworn to by its president and treasurer stating the length of track operated by it in public ways in such city or town, and also the total length of track operated by it in public ways, determined as provided in section two of this act, and also the amount of its gross receipts during the year ending on the 30th day of September next preceding, which gross receipts shall include all amounts received by it from the operation of its railway but shall not include income derived from sale of power, rental of tracks or other sources.

Section 7 provides that the assessors shall on receiving the report of the railway company, assess before the first day of November on each railway company operating in the city limits an excise tax. In the case of companies whose gross receipts per mile of track operated both in and out of the city are $4000 or less, the tax shall be 1 per cent. of the total annual gross receipts; in case the gross receipts are $4000 and less than $7000, 2 per cent. of the gross receipts; in case the receipts are $7000 and less than $14,000, 2 1-4 per cent.; and when $14,000 and less than $21,000, 2 1-2 per cent.; $21,000 and less than $28,000, 2 3-4 per cent; and $28,000 or more, 3 per cent of the total annual gross receipts.

These excise taxes shall be in addition to the taxes now provided by law.

Section 9 provides for the notification of the collector of taxes by the assessors as to the amount of the tax on the company or companies and on the notification of the treasurer of the company by the collector of taxes, the excise tax levied becomes due within 30 days.

According to the figures made out by the assessors the Lowell and Suburban company's tax will be $1610.29 and the tax of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill, $291.80. The former road's gross earnings for the year are between $4000 and $7000. So the tax is at the rate of 2 per cent. The L. L. & H. gross receipts per mile are between $7000 and $15,000 and the tax is accordingly 2 1-4 per cent., the small mileage within the city limits reaching as it does only from Merrimack Square to the Dracut line, accounting for the smallness of the tax compared with the Lowell & Suburban's.

The tax goes entirely to the city or town within whose limits it is levied.

THE TRANSVAAL

LECTURE ON TIMELY TOPIC TOMORROW EVENING.

The lecture on the Transvaal in Y. M. C. I. hall, Stackpole street tomorrow evening promises to be a highly entertaining one, in view of the fact that the eyes of the world are now turned upon that heretofore unknown country. The lecturer will be Rev. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., a former missionary in the Transvaal and Orange Free State and one of the few men in this country who is familiar with the place, its people, their life, manners, customs and government. As the admission is only 25 cents it will be well to get there early. The Y. M. C. I. is to be congratulated for its enterprise in getting so distinguished a lecturer upon so timely a topic.

Y. M. C. I. BOWLING.

The Y. M. C. I. is to have a big bowling tournament at its alleys beginning one week from Monday. Eight teams are entered already and a good time is expected.

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DEWEY'S WEDDING

Will Take Place on Thanksgiving Day

ARCHBISHOP KEANE TO OFFICIATE

He May Now Run for President

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen will be married on Thanksgiving Day. This is the prediction now made by intimate friends and as neither will deny the rumor, it is believed that the lack of contradiction is corroboration of the statement. Thanksgiving is par excellence the American wedding day and as both the bride and groom-to-be are staunch patriots, it seems eminently proper for them to join their lives on this day.

Archbishop Keane, it is said, will officiate at the ceremony. It was the archbishop who when rector of the Catholic University here, received Mrs. Hazen into the Catholic church and as long as he remained here he acted as her confessor and adviser. A special dispensation from Rome will probably be secured to allow the ceremony to be performed at St. Matthew's church. As the admiral is not a Catholic, the service could not be performed in the church without papal sanction.

Immediately after the wedding, it is said, Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will make an extended tour. Their honeymoon will take in a number of cities that have sent pressing invitations to the national hero, which up to the present he has been unable to accept.

THE MOST CHARMING WOMAN.

Mrs. Mildred Hazen, whom Admiral Dewey has called the most charming woman in the world, is 43 years old. She is not tall but has a very fine figure. A dead-brunette she has a clear, rosy complexion, blue eyes and dark hair tinged with gray which she wears rolled high from her forehead. Her manner is vivacious and she has a very keen sense of humor. She is at her best when she tells a witty story. Although unassuming, the admiral's bride to be has much strength of character.

The wedding without doubt will be as brilliant as the high position of the admiral and the wealth and social prestige of Mrs. Hazen lead society to expect.

Col. Archibald Hopkins, who is the author of the poem toasting the admiral and which was read at a recent dinner, said in substance yesterday that Admiral Dewey would be willing to accept the republican nomination for president.

Col. Hopkins explained that he knew the admiral's dislike for politics and that on several occasions the latter expressed his distaste to a possible nomination for the presidency. The colonel said he felt satisfied, however, that if Ohio went democratic this fall, and other critical states did the same, and that it should appear that the republican party was in danger of defeat in the national election next year, Admiral Dewey would accept the nomination of the republican party if it were tendered him. Colonel Hopkins is one of Admiral Dewey's closest friends. Indeed he may be said to rank as the admiral's chief friend. Therefore it is natural that his statement should have aroused an equal of comment and interest.

It is significant in view of Senator Proctor's alleged purpose to draw the admiral forth as the republican party's emergency presidential candidate. The senator has denied that he has any such purpose in view, but the politicians think the denial is purely Pickwickian and that Senator Proctor has the desire at least and the purpose if possible, to do this very thing.

The matter is interesting from the fact that the admiral's impending marriage is expected to exert an influence upon him in favor of a political life, for Mrs. Hazen is experienced in social and political Washington and is credited with the loftiest ambitions.

DEWEY'S SURRENDER.

Put up the gun and clanging sword,
Which such a famous victory scored,
And stop the cheers of shouting hordes
In patriot hearts engendered!
Furl tight the flag which put to shame
The Spanish host and brought him fame.

For Dewey has surrendered!
Far deadlier than the shells he sent,
Was Cupid's shaft, upon him bent,
And youthful hope and discontent
That thus dart engendered.
The Spaniards' screaming shot and shell,
The smiling hero missed. Ah, well,
When Cupid's arrow struck, he fell
And Fame to Love surrendered!

—Willis Leonard Canahan.

DEWEY'S CHINESE VALET.

Admiral Dewey is worried over the prospect of losing his Chinese valet. The boy has been with him for many months, and has made himself almost invaluable to the hero of Manila. When the admiral came home he brought this Chinese boy with him and still has him in his service but under the laws of this country, as he is a Chinese, he cannot remain here more than six months, and now that the admiral has settled in his home, he is asking:

"What is to become of this gallant little Chinese boy?"

The other day when the delegation from Tennessee visited the admiral and asked him to go south, the admiral took occasion to ask Congressman Gaines, who was a member of the committee the question which seems to be worrying him. Admiral Dewey had just announced to his visitors the fact of his engagement to Mrs. Hazen, but in his own happiness he did not forget that of his faithful Chinese valet. He sent for the boy and when he arrived, Admiral Dewey turned to Representative Gaines and said he hoped congress would permit him to keep this gallant little Chinese boy in this country. He then explained the law in regard to the Chinese and expressed his anxiety for the future of the boy.

Continuing, he said: "This boy has a medal for gallantry for having served in the American navy and he wants to remain in this country, but under the present ruling of the law, he cannot remain here over six months."

Mr. Gaines immediately said that he would offer a resolution in the house as soon as congress met, making provision whereby this little Chinese could remain in the United States permanently. This seemed to give great comfort to Admiral Dewey and the Chinese boy showed his gratitude by shaking hands warmly with the Tennessee congressman and thanking him for his interest in his behalf.

MOLLY VARNUM CHAPTER.

The regular meeting of the Molly Varnum Chapter, D. A. R., was held in Memorial hall, yesterday afternoon. No business was transacted. At a meeting of the board of management, Mrs. Nesmith resigned the office of recent and the board as provided in the by-laws of the chapter filled the vacancy, electing Mrs. Henry M. Thompson regent until the next meeting. Mrs. Edward W. Burke was chosen vice regent.

A FEW HINTS

To Our Local Bicycle Riders

ON STORAGE OF THEIR WHEELS

During the Coming Winter Season

The majority of the cyclists are now thinking of storing their wheels away for the winter. A great deal of care should be taken as to how they are cared for during the idle season. Many people take their wheel to pieces, give it a good coating with vaseline and leave it apart all winter. There is no need of doing this, for the pieces are apt to get lost during the three or four months that the wheel is not in use.

Probably one of the most important points to remember is to store the wheel in a place that is not too hot or cold. If it is left in too warm a place it will crack all the enamel and make it chip off, and if the wheel is taken from a hot place and taken out in the cold air and ridden some part of the machine is apt to break. Many accidents have happened to riders storing their wheels in a hot room or sometimes in the cellar near a boiler, and when a good day came when the ground was dry they would take their wheel out for a ride, and the difference in the temperature would be so vast as to cause some part of the frame or forks to crack.

The cause for the cracking of the steel is due to the fact that while the wheel is lying in a hot room the steel expands, and the sudden change of temperature from the hot room to the cold air outside causes the steel to contract with such force as to crack it.

It is equally as bad to leave a bicycle in a cold place during the winter. If left in a cold room the nickel will get rusty and the enamel will turn from the bright enamel to look like a dull coat of paint. The parts of the machine also get stiff and work hard, after taken out, if left in a cold place.

A cold place will also turn the spokes rusty and after a short period they will snap in two. The cement on the tires and the grips of the handlebars will harden and crumble if left in too cold a room.

The best way to care for a wheel during the snowy weather is to give the wheel a good outside cleaning, and then rub vaseline all over the steel parts and leave a good coating on it. Then hang two pieces of rope from the ceiling of the attic or cellar, and tie one under the saddle and the other on the handlebars near the head. Have a bag made out of any kind of cloth so as to completely cover the wheel. In this simple care is taken of your wheel when you store it away it will be as good as new when taken out in the spring.

It is also a good idea to loosen all the nuts when storing the wheel away, for they are apt to crack when turned too tight.

In the spring when the wheel is taken down all the vaseline should be wiped off until the frame is thoroughly dry. If it is hard to get off with a dry cloth a little application of hot water will take it all off.

It is a good thing, also, to take the machine apart before riding it after being stored away all winter. By taking it apart in the spring and giving it a good cleaning, soaking the balls and chain in naphtha or benzine, the wheel will run all season without taking apart.

For any one who keeps their wheel in a room or hallway and cannot put vaseline on it, the next best thing to do is to pump the tires up fairly hard and turn the wheel upside down, so as to let the wheel rest on the handlebars and saddle. This keeps the tires in good condition. If a machine is left resting on the tires, the tires after a while get deflated and form ridges. When the tire is inflated it cracks and becomes porous. It is better to keep the tires fairly well inflated and save the expense of buying a new pair.

Some people take the chain of the bicycle and let it rest in kerosene, naphtha, benzine or some other liquid during the whole winter, and then take it out in the spring and replace it on the sprockets. This is a bad idea, for it tends to weaken the chain.

SUCCESSFUL DANCE

MANAGED BY THE JOLLY EIGHT CLUB OF COLLINSVILLE.

The Jolly Eight, a social organization of Collinsville managed a successful dance at Willow Dale last evening. Many were present from Lowell and a general good time was enjoyed by all. The Cadet orchestra furnished music and dancing was enjoyed until midnight. The following officers had charge of the affair: General manager, Charles Burman; assistant general manager, Peter Mead; floor director, John Laffey; assistant floor director, John Nolan; chief aid, Harry Borman; aids, Frank Cullinan, John Marley and Thomas Borman.

CELEBRATED 90th BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Minerva R. Worcester, widow of Leonard Worcester, observed her 90th birthday anniversary yesterday in a quiet and informal manner. Her four children were present and the occasion was made a happy family reunion. Her son William H., came all the way from Canton, O., to be present on the happy occasion, and her other children are Eben C., of Boston, Leonard A., and Martha P., of this city.

Mrs. Worcester is a native of Sharon, Vermont, but is an old resident of Lowell, having lived in her present home at the corner of Bartlett and Alder streets more than 50 years. Her husband died in 1890. She is remarkably bright and active for her years retaining her faculties to a marvelous degree. She is a member of the High street church.

ENJOYABLE PARTY.

A belated correspondent requests the publication of the following:

A very pleasant Hallowe'en party was held at 42 Fulton street. Games were enjoyed and songs were rendered by Messrs. John Gilbride, P. W. Garrity; stump speeches were delivered by Henry O'Brien; buck and wing dance by Mr. M. Monahan; also cake walk by the party; won by Mr. Edward Cunningham and Lizzie Barry. Refreshments were served by Misses Garrity, Barry and Gallagher. The accompanist of the evening was Mr. Charles Dugan.

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FIRST SOCIAL.

The first social of the L. and H. club was held last night at Elvin's hall, about seventy-five couples participating. There were twenty numbers on the program and dancing was continued to a late hour. The officers of the affair were: General manager, E. A. Lundberg; assistant general manager, L. N. Norton; floor director, E. McLean; assistant, Albert Anderson; aids, Messrs. C. Christianson, J. L. McLean, L. Lyness, C. H. Shepard, F. Barrows, and J. R. Williams.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

The overseers of the poor met at city hall last evening to approve bills. No other business of importance was transacted.

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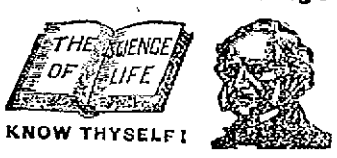

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TROUBLE AGAIN

Government Imposes Another Talk on Bananas

RESIDENTS OF BLUEFIELDS OBJECT

There May Be Another Revolution

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BLUEFIELDS, Nic., Oct. 29.—Via New Orleans, Nov. 3.—The residents of Bluefields are again having some trouble with the administration and will hereafter be taxed from another quarter. Some ten days ago it was announced that after Nov. 1, an export duty of 2 cents a bunch would be placed upon bananas. This export is the life of the coast. The Americans have built up the industry and are building up the country by their presence. The duty proposed affects only the Americans. Were it not for the disorganized condition of the people of the coast another revolution would be likely.

However, this state of affairs cannot occur without some outside assistance. It is this assistance that the people are expecting. Costa Rica is filled with fugitive Nicaraguans and a revolution is not unlikely. This impression is strengthened by the open ill-feeling between leading members of the local administration. If a revolution was started it would be helped and doubtless headed by men who are now exiles.

YOUNG COLORED MAN

CREATED A SENSATION ON WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—A young colored man who subsequently when arrested gave his name as Alpheus L. Ferguson created a sensation on Washington street among the shopping crowds late yesterday afternoon by insulting several women.

He went through the crowds jostling women and girls, and finally, after several had been thus angered and others had been frightened, some almost into hysterics, he met one who took the law bravely into her own hands.

She was a woman who lives on Shawmut avenue, one of almost gigantic stature, and as she strode along, she towered above all others in the dense crowd.

Police Inspector "Joe" Knox happened along about the time the young colored man ran against this American Amazon.

She didn't hesitate in personally chastising her assailant. Her right hand clinched and hard almost as Jim Jeffries' best, shot out like a battering ram and the colored Mr. Ferguson sprawled upon his back on the hard pavements of this treet. Should George Siler have been standing above him he might have counted Mr. Ferguson out, for he lay practically insensible several seconds.

The woman who hit him stood ready to strike another blow for her honor and in behalf of her sex.

Just then the police and referee in the person of Inspector Knox quickly pushed through the crowd and arrested the young man who has been thus so emphatically knocked out.

The woman who struck him agreed to go to headquarters and lodge a personal complaint and also to appear in court this morning against him on agreement that her name should not be used.

At headquarters the prisoner gave the name of Ferguson, as stated; said he was 21 years old and declared he had come to Boston only within a few days. He said he had been in the west, that he had no home, and that he did not mean any harm. It appears, however, that he indelicately approached several women ere the lady from Shawmut avenue did him up.

The young fellow was well dressed and rather intelligent looking. He answered questions readily and seemed to take his arrest indifferently.

He will be in court this morning upon a charge of indecent assault.

THE HARVARD TEAM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—The Harvard foot ball team arrived here today at 11.12 a. m., over the Pennsylvania railroad. The men proceeded immediately to the Aldine Hotel, where quarters had been reserved. It was raining when the team reached this city and in consequence there were few people at the station to greet them.

All the men appeared to be in the pink of condition, and each expressed himself as confident of victory in the game with Pennsylvania tomorrow.

Despite the inclement weather, the men were given some signal practice on Franklin field this afternoon behind closed gates. Tomorrow morning also they will engage in secret practice. The indication today was that the game would be played on a very muddy field.

LESTER TRIPP DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHATHAM, Mass., Nov. 3.—It is believed that a drowning accident occurred yesterday in which Lester Tripp, a boy of 17, lost his life while crossing Old Harbor channel in a small row boat to reach the gunning ground. Neither the boy nor the boat can be found and searchers are dragging the bottom of the channel today for his body.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS SUBSCRIBE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KINGSTON, R. I., Nov. 3.—Sedgwick Post, G. A. R., has received a check from Robert E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, to assist the post in reducing the debt on Encampment hall. The check was sent in recognition of the services performed by the post, which acted as escort when the body of Miss Winnie Davis, the "Daughter of the Confederacy," left this state for the south.

CREDITORS' SLIM CHANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 3.—There is little to be said today about the failure of Woodbury & Moulton, except that the prospect for a settlement that will be of advantage to the creditors grows smaller and smaller, as the condition of the firm becomes better understood by those who are investigating it.

It is estimated by those in a position to judge that the total liabilities will amount to about half a million dollars.

REFUSES TO RESIGN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, Nov. 3—Much surprise has been expressed in certain quarters that Col. Fred Bacallao, chief of the secret police, does not resign as a mark of sympathy for General Ruiz Rivera, who was recently dismissed from the post of civil governor of Havana. The friends of Bacallao have been endeavoring to influence him to take this step but he absolutely refuses to do so. He says he is exceedingly sorry for Gen. Rivera, but he fails to see any reason why he should throw up a congenial occupation because of the latter's dismissal.

1000 KILLED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, Nov. 3—A statement is circulated here of alleged good authority that the second battle has been fought at Ladysmith, in which 1000 British have been killed, the remainder of White's army retreating to Pietermaritzburg.

It is impossible to authenticate the report, but your correspondent's authority says beyond doubt a second battle has taken place.

A LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed Upon John Roberts, the Lawrence Murderer

ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILTY

In Accordance With Advice of His Counsel

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Nov. 3.—John Roberts was brought into the superior court this afternoon and after pleading guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree was sentenced to state prison for life.

Roberts shot and killed Maria Letcher, a mill operative, with whom he was living, on March 4th the present year. The prisoner is 37 years old and is a native of England. His victim was 32 and was also born in England. Roberts was inclined to be jealous of the attentions other men paid her and they quarreled frequently. On the morning of the murder he wanted the Letcher woman to go to work at the mill where she was employed but for some reason she preferred to remain in her boarding house that day. After angry words had been exchanged, Roberts suddenly drew a revolver and fired three shots at his companion. She died five minutes afterward.

Roberts was at once arrested and in May he was indicted by the grand jury. He was examined as to his sanity the report of the physicians being that he was not insane. Later, on the advice of counsel, the defendant decided to plead guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree.

SCHOONER SUNK

WHEN FOUND POACHING IN RUSSIAN WATERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 3.—The whaling bark Charles W. Morgan which has arrived from Japanese waters brings the story of the sinking of a Japanese sealing schooner by the Russian gunboat Alexis. The schooner which carried a crew of twenty-one men, was caught poaching on Russian sealing preserves. It was almost dark and the seal tried to elude the gunboat. A shot was fired across her bows but she kept on her course. Then the Russian captain ordered his guns trained on the schooner. Three of her men were picked up by the Russian boat but the rest were drowned. Two Japanese schooners were on the forbidden grounds when the Alexis appeared. Both schooners tried to escape and separated. One of them was sunk, but in stopping to pick up the survivors the Alexis allowed the other to escape. It was this schooner which the Morgan spoke and from which the news of the accident was obtained.

PARNELL MEMORIAL

LORD MAYOR TALLON AND MR. REDMOND MAY SPEAK HERE.

A meeting was held at the Washington Tavern Thursday by sympathizers with the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the late Charles Stewart Parnell. Among those present were Mr. Sheehan of Boston, John W. McEvoy, Esq., Hon. Edward F. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, and a number of prominent local gentlemen.

The matter of holding a public meeting was talked over and it was decided to call a meeting for Sunday afternoon to make the necessary arrangements for a public meeting to be held in aid of the memorial. Mr. Kennedy, the secretary to Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin, visited Mr. Reagan of the Washington Tavern yesterday afternoon and expressed a desire that Mayor Tallon and Mr. Redmond be invited to Lowell. It is now quite probable that a successful demonstration will be held on one of the dates, which the speakers have at their disposal.

THE DEPOSED PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Nov. 3.—Gen. Ignacio Andrade, the recently deposed president of Venezuela, who made his escape from Caracas October 20th, arrived here last night. He will proceed for San Juan de Porto Rico today.

MORE PROOF

THAT YOUNG HARDY WAS MURDERED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Additional proof that Frederick Hardy, Jr., the young art student from Tennessee was murdered on the Shore Drive, near Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, came to light today. The day after Hardy was last seen, on Oct. 27, a carpenter found on the slope leading from the shore drive to the water of the Narrows an alpine hat and a pocketbook, which were Hardy's. The pocketbook was empty except for some portraits of relatives of the young man. No importance was attached to the finding of the articles until the discovery of Hardy's corpse in the water at Keyport, N. J., when the hat and pocketbook were taken to the police station. The friends of the murdered man identified them.

IN MEMORY OF EDITOR DANA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, Nov. 3.—At Puerto Principe a marble block has been set up in the public square to the memory of the late Charles Dana, the late editor of the New York Sun. An inscription on the front says the stone is raised to a tireless defender of Cuban liberty. The square itself has been rechristened Plaza Dana and the stone is in the centre.

WILL REBUILD MILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MILLBURY, Mass., Nov. 3.—C. T. Aldrich's satinet mill which was burned Monday morning, is to be rebuilt, but the new structure will be reduced in size. Mr. Aldrich has a large amount of stock on hand and many orders. The insurance is now being adjusted.

The Union linen mill is being run to its fullest capacity. The company is considering the question of enlarging the plant at early date.

it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

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Kidney diseases should be attended to at once, for almost 90 per cent. of our unexpected deaths of to-day are from that cause. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the only sure cure known for diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Bladder and Blood, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and Chronic Constipation. It is marvelous how it stops that pain in the back, relieves the necessity of urinating so often at night, drives away that scalding pain in passing water, corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer and shows its beneficial effects on the system in an incredibly short time. It is sold by all drug stores at $1.00 a bottle.

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From Yesterday's Late Editions.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Clerk John Ambrose was taken ill yesterday afternoon, fainting away in the corridor at the noon recess. He was unable to appear at court today and Clerk Theodore C. Hurd relieved him.

The testimony in the Taylor case was quite spicy. Several government witnesses, including an officer were sworn by the government but not put on the stand and Lawyer Donahue for the defence created a surprise by calling these witnesses for the defence.

Some of these contradicted each other on the stand. Edward Steele, the son of the defendant testified that he owned the house in dispute, had full contract of it and that his mother had nothing to do with it. He said that no liquor was sold, there was no disorderly conduct and his wife was sober, though an officer called for the defence said that Steele's wife was drunk at the time of the search for liquor and kissed the officer.

Mr. Steele testified that his wife kissed both of the men and Manning, the chief of police went down so as to give her a good opportunity to do it.

John Palmer testified that he had worked for Eddie Steele at the house and while there never saw any liquor sold, any drunkenness or disorderly persons.

The case went to the jury shortly before adjournment.

Charles D. Holmes, non-support of child received six months in the house of Correction.

Daniel Ryan, assault and battery received six months in the house of correction.

Thomas J. Borthestle, illegally transporting liquor, three months in the House of Correction.

Harry Brooks, charged with larceny was sent to the House of Correction for two months.

The case of George Healey of Somerville, a naval veteran of the Spanish war was placed on trial just before adjournment for breaking and entering and larceny. He was defended by Lawyer Frank P. Curran of Woburn. The complainant was Mrs. Eustes, who keeps a store in Somerville and she testified that on the night of Sept 25 her place was opened by a window and $15 in money and other articles were stolen.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Augusta Taylor returned a verdict of guilty of keeping a disorderly house.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

The Healey case went to the jury this afternoon and other out-of-town cases were taken up. The court will adjourn this evening until Wednesday, as there will be no session on election day.

McBRIDE SENTENCED.

In the superior court this afternoon, William F. McBride, who was found guilty of vagabondage, was sentenced by Judge Bond to a term of one year in the house of correction.

Mrs. Taylor, found guilty on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, failed to appear for sentence, and has therefore defaulted.

The jury in the case of Arthur J. Barker, charged with larceny, returned a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred.

Court adjourned at 4.10 till Wednesday morning.

A FATAL FALL

A Hair Pin Entered Woman's Brain

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEEDHAM, Nov. 2.—Rev. Robert L. Webb, pastor of the Needham First Baptist church has the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of his wife Frances, which occurred this morning as the result of a peculiar accident. While engaged in the performance of her home duties, Mrs. Webb was taken with an apoplectic fit and fell, striking the back of her head against a stove. A large bone hairpin which she was wearing inflicted a severe wound at the base of the brain. Death resulted within a few minutes.

Brief funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Mrs. Webb's late home on Chestnut street. The remains will be taken to Washington, D. C., tomorrow evening for burial.

BIG FIRE

DESTROYED NEARLY EVERY BUSINESS HOUSE IN THOMASVILLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

THOMASVILLE, Ala., Nov. 3.—A disastrous fire started at 11 o'clock last night in the office of N. B. Boyle's store and by 1 o'clock every business house in town except H. Morningstar & Co. and J. P. Turner & Sons, had been burned. Very few goods were saved from any of the buildings as the fire under the impetus of a high northwest wind spread with fearful rapidity. Six hundred bales of cotton in the public warehouse were burned with little insurance on it.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

WILLIAM YESTER EXPLODED GUN POWDER IN HIS MOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EGANSVILLE, Ont., Nov. 3.—William Yester, who on Tuesday last murdered his wife and 19-year-old daughter, committed suicide today. He filled his mouth with gun powder and touched it with a lighted match. He only succeeded, however, in distorting his features terribly, so took poison.

SAFE ROBBERS GOT $23.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Nov. 3.—Safe robbers sometime yesterday afternoon entered the office of Leary Brothers, stablemen, at North Attleboro, got into the safe that was unlocked and decamped with $23. Nothing else was taken.

SCHOONER CHIQUITA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHARLEVOIX, Mich., Nov. 3.—The schooner yacht Chiquita, which was wrecked near Miller's Landing, Ind., left here two weeks ago. On board were D. S. Way, his wife and a young man named Hollis Frazin. They were on route to Florida. Way formerly sailed vessels on the lakes, but of late years had been a roaming photographer.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Frank Cummings, a conductor on the Pawtucket street route of the Lowell & Suburban road, and Miss Jennie Turner were married in this city recently by Rev. George F. Kenngott. They have taken up their residence in Marginal street.

BIRCHETT CONFESSED

TO HAVING STOLEN ABOUT $6,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—George W. Birchett, a colored porter employed by the Adams Express company was arraigned in police court today and held for trial on a charge of stealing a money bag containing $6300 in gold from the company's office on Saturday last. Birchett confessed the theft and said he had taken the gold out of the company's office in a bundle of wood so that it would not be noticed.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Rain or snow late tonight and Saturday morning, followed by clearing weather; northeast winds, increasing in force.

Miss Grace Renneson has just finished a very successful week at Park Theatre, Worcester, and is in town visiting her sister. She will leave for New York next week, where she is booked to appear at some of the leading theatres.

REPLY AWAITED

Fall River Manufacturers in Session This Afternoon

WILL CONSIDER WAGE QUESTION

Generally Believed Increase Will be Refused

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 3.—While there was considerable interest in the meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers' association which was called for 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, to act on the recommendations of the committee which conferred with the union representatives in relation to the request for an advance in wages, the general sentiment in mill circles before the assembling of the treasurers, was that the operatives will not get an increase at this time. Some of the manufacturers discussed the matter among themselves with the result that the proposition of the unions received few supporters. As soon as the result of this afternoon's meeting of the association is communicated officially to the union committee by Secretary Rounsville, President Tansey of the Textile council, will call a meeting to discuss it. The council will make recommendations to the bodies which it represents, and the advice will probably be accepted by all the unions.

LIEUT. BOUTELLE

KILLED WHILE ATTACKING THE INSURGENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3—The war department has received the following cablegram:

Manila, Nov. 3. On the first inst., Lieut. Stevens and eighteen men reconnoitring MacArthur's front, struck forty or more entrenched insurgents. Immediately attacked and dispersed them, killing three and wounding a number. No casualties. Yesterday Lawton's advance at Alitago struck enemy both west and south of the city. Batson's Macabebe scouts reconnoitering south struck insurgents in ambush. Lieut. Boutelle was killed. One scout was wounded. Batson routed the enemy and left seven dead in the thickets. Yesterday Bell of the 36th volunteers with regiment and troop of the 4th cavalry cleared the country of all armed insurgents from Florida Blanca to a considerable distance beyond Porac, pursuing them into the mountains, capturing nine of their cavalry horses, several guns, considerable property, killing, wounding and capturing a number of the enemy. Insurgent cavalry of that section is practically destroyed. Bell's casualties were one man killed and two wounded."

REP. BOUTELLE'S NEPHEW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Second Lieut. Henry M. Boutelle was a son of Captain Frazier A. Boutelle, U. S. A., retired, and a nephew of Representative Boutelle of Maine. He was appointed second lieutenant of the Third artillery, July 5, 1898, from civil life and the next month accompanied his regiment to the Philippines.

CAUGHT IN GALES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GIBRALTAR, Nov. 3.—Four vessels suffering from the effects of gales off the Atlantic ocean arrived here today, the British barks Illesche Currey and Electra from Labrador; a British schooner, Jennie Jones, from Labrador; and a Norwegian schooner, Capella, from Newfoundland, all having bulwarks smashed and lost sails. The Electra jettisoned ten tons of her cargo.

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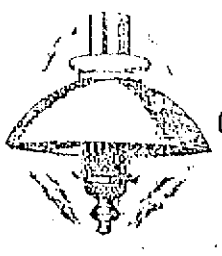

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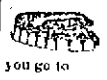

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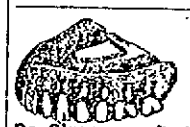

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Corrected to October 2, 1899. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.15, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.43, c3.00, 4.25, c5.11 p. m.
SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.10, 6.28, c6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.25, 7.53, *8.48, w*9.00, *8.57, c9.13, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; w12.05, 12.16, w12.45, 1.43, w2.20, w*3.20, 3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.15, 5.21, c5.42, w*6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.40, w9.25 p. m.
SUNDAYS, 7.20, *7.25, w8.15, 8.43, 9.13 a. m., w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w6.30, 5.53, w7.25, p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, x7.21, w8.30, w9.25, 10.03, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.31, w3.10, w3.55, 4.13, w5.15, w6.15, w7.00, w9.15, w10.15 p. m.
SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.50, w7.25 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.24, 7.33 a. m.; w12.05, 1.26, w5.15, 5.53 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, x7.33, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.10, w3.55, w4.15, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, b11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.24 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.24, 6.50, x7.31, 8.50 a. m., 12.05, 3.10, 5.55, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 3.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.24, 6.33, x7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.31 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 3.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 5.15 p. m. (5.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machisport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.33, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.13, 4.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 4.25, 5.53 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way-Stations—7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.01 and 5.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.12 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 3 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.12 a. m.; 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 3 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.10, 6.27, *8.10, *8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only), 3.03 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, 8.40 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.10, *a6.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.40 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *9.40 a. m.; *1.40, *a5.43 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Jct., Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *a8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *9.40 a. m.; *a5.43 p. m.

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

Following is an account of the fight by rounds:

Nov. 3.—It was just 10 o'clock when Tom Sharkey worked his way through the crowd from his dressing room to the ring. He was accompanied by O'Rourke and Tim McGrath, his trainer. He took his seat in the southwest corner of the ring. Jeffries soon afterward entered the ring and shook hands with Sharkey. Sharkey remained seated while Jeffries stood up for a while talking with his attendants.

At 10.05, the announcer stated that the winner had been challenged by Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett.

Tim McGrath and O'Rourke were busy with the sponge putting the finishing touches on their man from the time he entered the ring until time was called.

The timekeeper for Sharkey was Mike Bradley and for Jeffries Al. Smith. The referee was George Siler. Billy Madden held the watch for the Coney Island club. Sharkey was clad in a green breech cloth and looked in splendid form when the bath robe was removed. Jeffries wore black tights and the story that he was not in good trim was dispelled by his appearance. In fact, both men looked the picture of health.

First round. They sparred very cautiously for a few moments and then Sharkey sent left and right to the face. The blows seemed to disconcert Jeffries for a moment and he side-stepped toward the ropes. He quickly recovered himself, however, and sent a hard left to Sharkey's jaw. They clinched and immediately separated. After a few minutes of sparring, Sharkey led again with the left for the jaw but was short and Jeffries countered heavily with a straight left on the chin. They clinched but soon parted. Sharkey again led and Jeffries side-stepped away from the blows. Sharkey led again, missed and Jeffries smiled. Sharkey again rushed and fell short and Jeffries stepping in quickly, sent the right with considerable force to the ribs. The blow caused the sailor to stagger a little but he straightened up quickly and again he rushed the Californian who met him a second time with a straight right on the ribs. Sharkey missed with the left for the jaw as the bell sounded and Jeffries laughed at his failure.

Second round. Both rushed, missed and clinched. Jeffries laughed after they broke away. He then rushed viciously, and caught the sailor in the corner and smashed him with such force on the jaw with the left as to score a knockdown. Sharkey arose in a rather dazed condition after five seconds had been counted off. He was very aggressive, however, and swung his left viciously for the head. Jeffries blocked the blow and sent the left again to the jaw, scoring another knockdown. The sailor was on his feet quickly and made a determined rush and scored with left and right on the shoulder. A hard exchange at close range followed and closed the round with Jeffries scoring smartly with left and right on the head and right on the ear. During a breakaway in this round Sharkey landed lightly with both hands on the neck and jaw.

Third round. Both came up quickly for the third round. Sharkey was the aggressor, swinging the left for the jaw and falling short. He rushed again and landed a hard left on Jeffries' mouth. Jeffries returned the compliment in the next exchange with a hard one over the heart. They came together again, both falling short. Sharkey was very wild with right and left swings in the next exchange and Jeffries easily avoided his blows. Once Sharkey feinted in so badly that he became confused and did not know what to do. Realizing that the sailor was disconcerted, Jeffries rushed and sent a terrific right-hand straight blow to the body which sent the sailor staggering against the ropes. Tom regained his position quickly, only to receive another hard blow on the ribs.

Fourth round. After some feinting, Sharkey rushed, trying to score with the left on the head, but Jeffries cleverly stepped inside the blow and it went behind the neck. After breaking away from the clinch, Jeffries rushed and sent the right hard over the heart. The blow angered Sharkey and he rushed vigorously swinging both hands. The left which was intended for the jaw, missed, but the right found a resting place on Jeffries' ribs. Every time Sharkey missed with a left lead he would clinch and Jeffries would look him square in the eye and smile. Sharkey rushed repeatedly during the closing moments of the round but failed to land an effective blow. On the other hand, Jeffries met his rushes with terrific right-handers over the heart and as the bell sounded sent a left to the jaw that made Sharkey reel toward the ropes.

Fifth round. Directly the gong sounded, Sharkey was out of his corner on a sprint and just grazed the champion's lips with a left hander. He also landed the right on Jeffries' neck. They clinched. After breaking away, Jeffries rushed and sent terrific right hand blows to the body twice in succession, sending Sharkey to the ropes and forcing him to clinch. On the breakaway, Sharkey delivered a terrific blow on the body which made Jeffries grunt. They mixed it up several times after this, and Sharkey scored heavily several times with the left on the body. Jeffries was not so successful in getting home his blows. At the conclusion of the round, Brady, on behalf of Jeffries said that Sharkey had hit Jeffries contrary to the rules and he claimed a foul on behalf of the champion. The referee, however, refused to take cognizance of the claim.

Sixth round. When this round opened, Jeffries rushed and sent a hard left to the body. Sharkey countered with a hard left swing on the chin, which shook the champion up considerably. Jeffries replied with a terrific right on the heart and for his pains received a vigorous swing on the jaw. The blow weakened Jeffries and he clinched. After this he repeatedly rested on the sailor and had to be drawn away by the referee. Sharkey, who was at his man all the while, landed repeatedly on the body and head. Sharkey was the fresher of the pair when the bell rang.

Seventh round. Jeffries opened the round with a stiff right over the heart. Sharkey replied with a right on the ribs. He followed this with a smart left on the jaw and just missed Jeffries' jaw with the right. Sharkey was very aggressive and insisted on cutting out the pace. He frequently scored with force on the body and face. Jeffries tried hard to return the blows but rarely reached the objective point. He was very tired and in all the clinches rested his weight on the Irishman. He also held Sharkey in the clinches, and the referee on several occasions was compelled to push him away. Jeffries landed only two good blows, a left on the body and a right over the heart. It was Sharkey's round.

Eighth round. Sharkey opened up briskly, sending a hard left to the body and making Jeffries clinch. The champion rested his entire weight on his plucky little opponent and the crowd hissed. In a warm exchange at close range each scored heavily on the head and body with both hands. One blow, a vicious right swing, split Sharkey's ear and caused the blood to flow freely. A clinch followed the mix-up. On the breakaway Sharkey landed a vicious left swing on the jaw, dazing the champion who clinched and refused to break until the referee pulled him away. Hot infighting followed with Sharkey scoring the greater number of blows. Jeffries was very weary when the round closed. Sharkey was comparatively fresh.

Ninth round. Sharkey was quicker out of his corner and immediately cut out the work, landing a light left on the ear. Jeffries countered with the right on the face. Sharkey rushed and sent a hard straight jab to the mouth. The blow staggered Jeffries and Sharkey was about to send the right across when Jeffries sprinted away. By side stepping, the champion kept out of range of Sharkey for a moment. He seemed very tired and was always willing to embrace Sharkey when they came to a clinch. During the clinches the sailor frequently scored with both hands on the body. These blows seemed to distress the Californian considerably. They were hard at it when the bell rang with Sharkey having the better of it and carrying off the honors. Jeffries complained of the heat at the close of the round and his seconds rolled pieces of ice over his forehead and head.

Tenth round. Sharkey opened up with a left to the body. He quickly followed with a straight left to the chin, avoiding Jeffries' return. In the next rally they exchanged hard lefts. Jeffries then rushed Sharkey to the ropes across the ring. The sailor tried to wrestle with the champion en route. They were locked when the referee interfered and cautioned both against such practices. After breaking away, Sharkey went to his man in vigorous shape and scored well with left on the body and face although Jeffries several times scored with effect with the right over the heart. Sharkey who seemed to be over-confident, kept rushing in and finally Jeffries landed a hard right with such force over the sailor's left eye as to cut a deep gash from which blood trickled freely. As the bell sounded, Jeffries landed two good rights on the ribs and a smart left on the body. Sharkey shook his head and smiled at the champion while going to his corner and Jeffries winked in return.

Eleventh round. The sailor was again the aggressor when the bell rang and rushing viciously swung right and left for the head. Jeffries blocked both blows cleverly and, taking a hand at forcing matters sent the right twice with force to Sharkey's ribs. He followed with a left on the jaw and received in return a left swing on the wind that made him grunt. Sharkey made several attempts to land the right square on the jaw but the champion blocked beautifully with his right. They exchanged vicious lefts on the body. Sharkey fought a bit wild toward the close of the round, and gave Jeffries an opportunity to send his right again with staggering force to the sailor's injured eye. Just before the bell rang, Jeffries rushed the sailor across the ring and both were punching away, although almost locked when the referee interfered.

Twelfth round. Both tried with lefts for the jaw when the round opened and missed. Sharkey was not discouraged at this failure and rushed again, and again, but failed to get past Jeffries' right for the body. In the next rally they exchanged almost blow for blow, Sharkey landed with lefts on the head and Jeffries with rights on the ribs. The fighting after this was very fast, with Sharkey cutting out the pace and outpointing the champion. Both were rather tired at the close of the round. It was terrific work and fine fighting, a good exhibition of pluck and ability to take punching on the part of both.

Thirteenth round. Considering the fast pace at which they had fought, both came out of their corners in very good shape. Sharkey, as usual, took the initiative and sent the left hard to the body. He followed this with a chopping left hand blow on the mouth and a straight left on the ribs. Jeff returned the compliment with a straight right hander over the heart. The blow however did not phase the sailor who continued his rushing tactics and kept going in on the champion all the while scoring with the left on head and body.

Fourteenth round. Sharkey came out of his corner on the run and swung the right for the jaw, but missed. Jeffries sidestepped cleverly. The sailor followed with a smart left to the body and a right for the head. Jeffries did not like the blow and showed his displeasure by clinching. They remained in the clinch until the referee went between them. On the breakaway Sharkey made Jeffries' head rock with a wicked left swing on the jaw. He followed this with a left to the pit of the stomach. Jeffries screwed up his face in apparent pain and looked at Siler, evidently wishing to convey the impression that he had been hit foul. He was almost on the defensive for the remainder of the round and Sharkey was all over him, outpointing him at the least five to one. The champion was very tired, and availed himself of every opportunity to clinch. Sharkey on the other hand looked quite fresh and willing to go to the limit.

Fifteenth round—Sharkey took the initiative in this round. He swung with the left for the jaw and missed. He countered heavily over the heart with the right stepping away and back quickly. Sharkey then sent a hard left to the jaw and the blow caused Jeffries to reel toward the ropes. The champion, however recovered himself in fairly good style and with a right swing staggered Sharkey and split his ear. Sharkey replied with a right on the left ear, splitting that member. These hard lefts on the jaw by Sharkey were followed by the sailor sending the same hand with such force to Jeffries' nose as to split it and make the blood flow. The blow also staggered the champion, but Jeffries made a grand rally and fighting briskly for a few moments handed right and left on body and face. He staggered Sharkey with a left but Sharkey, whose recuperative powers seemed best, came back instantly and smashed the champion right and left on the body.

Sixteenth round—Several failures on the part of both men to land were finally followed by Sharkey catching Jeffries with force on the jaw in the breakaway. This blow made the Californian's head rock. Sharkey kept boring in on his man with lefts to body and head. Finally Jeffries landed a fine, straight left to the pit of the stomach and a right hard over the head, and both men were much distressed at the conclusion of the round. They had fought at a terrific pace and, considering the extreme heat, it was no wonder they were so distressed.

Seventeenth round—Sharkey forced the issue when the round opened. He missed with the left to the jaw. He was more successful next time, however, landing hard on the face. His next effort, also, was rewarded with success. It was a right on the ribs and forced Jeffries to clinch. Jeffries countered Sharkey's leads two or three times with lefts on the body, and then sprinted away. Sharkey was forcing the Californian toward the ropes just before the bell rang. At the bell he had Jeffries' head under his arm, and tried to wring it. For this he was hissed.

Eighteenth round—Directly the bell rang Sharkey made a swift movement toward the centre of the ring, feinted with the right for the body, and sent the left hard for the nose, causing blood to flow. Jeffries clinched and Sharkey landed hard with the left on the body. Jeffries looked protestingly at Siler, trying to indicate that a foul had been committed. The crowd hooted the Californian for this. Jeffries, who seemed winded and considerably distressed, tried to meet Sharkey's rushes, but rarely countered. In many instances his blows went very wide of the mark. Sharkey kept fighting in at close range all the while, and repeatedly landed on the jaw with the left. He easily outpointed the champion.

Nineteenth round—After a few moments' fighting in this round, Jeffries landed two hard lefts on the jaw and a right on the body. He claimed a foul a moment later, but the referee shook his head, and the crowd hooted. Another left in the jaw after the breakaway seemed to stir Jeffries to action, and for a moment he flattered his admirers with lefts and rights to body and head, but toward the close of the round Sharkey was scoring the greater number of blows, and his punches seemed to have the greater force.

Twentieth round—Both missed lefts, and then Sharkey scored with the left on the nose, drawing blood. Jeffries countered with the right on the sailor's damaged ear. They clinched after this and on breaking away Sharkey heeled the champion with is glove and the crowd hissed. Several spirited rallies followed, during which Sharkey landed blows on the body, while Jeffries scored with straight lefts on the face and the mouth. A short time before the bell rang Jeffries put the right heavily on the sailor's jaw. The blow dazed Sharkey and he clinched to avoid further punishment. He clung hard to Jeffries until the referee parted them. He quickly recovered from the effects of the blow and in the closing exchanges Jeffries had none the better of it.

Twenty-first round—They immediately got to a clinch when the bell rang and the referee had to part them. Sharkey rushed in the next rally, but was short, and Jeffries steadied him with a straight left on the nose. The Californian followed this with a wicked right on the ribs. He also landed a left swing, and got away without a return. The sailor clinched twice, and each time the referee had to separate them. Both were distressed when they went to their corners.

Twenty-second round—Jeffries led off with a heavy left to the body. Sharkey retaliated with a wicked right on the ribs. The sailor tried to score with his left, but Jeffries cleverly stopped the blow and sent his right so hard on Sharkey's damaged eye that it bled again. The latter blow angered Sharkey considerably, and, rushing viciously and wildly toward the champion, he missed for the head and Jeffries uppercut him with the left hand twice. The champion also landed the right hand heavily on the sailor's bad eye, making blood flow in streams. Jeffries' friends began to shout enthusiastically, while the sailor's admirers groaned. While in a clinch, Sharkey turned around to reassure his seconds by winking and remarked to O'Rourke: "I'm all right." He was, nevertheless, very tired and bleeding freely, and the referee had to drag him away from Jeffries. In the closing rallies of the round Jeffries frequently uppercut Sharkey with the left and placed the right with force over the body.

Twenty-third round—Although Sharkey was quite distressed when he went to his corner at the end of the preceding round, he came up for this round in fairly good shape, and immediately took the aggressive. He went after his man like a tiger, swinging wickedly for the jaw with both hands, but Jeffries, who now seemed to be himself, cleverly blocked the blows and ripped a right hand to jaw just as the round closed that made the sailor groggy. The sailor was reeling toward the ropes, and in a very weary condition when the round ended. Then all of time probably saved him from a knockout. Jeffries was very strong and fighting fast.

Twenty-fourth round—Jeffries uppercut. Sharkey tried a right swing, but was short. Sharkey swung the right, but was short again, and Jeffries landed a light right. Jeffries tried to put a right across. He landed a stiff uppercut and followed it with another. He brought the right across, but it was a little wild. Sharkey was so weak he could hardly stand. Jeffries put the right and left over the heart. He kept trying with the right and left, but could not land. Sharkey was badly hurt. Jeffries put a right uppercut and tried a right jab, but Sharkey was still on his feet. The gong alone saved Sharkey.

Twenty-fifth round—Sharkey's seconds worked like Trojans over their man during the minute's rest and sent him to the centre of the ring for the final round looking much refreshed.

As was his custom, the sailor cut out the work. He rushed wickedly with the left for the jaw but fell short, and Jeffries countered heavily with the right on the jaw, staggering the sailor. Sharkey clinched to avoid further blows and Siler had to pull him away. After the clinch Jeffries, who now showed considerable spirit, rushed smartly at his man and smashed him right and left on the body and head.

During a spirited exchange which occurred after the round had run two minutes, Jeffries' glove became loosened and fell off his left hand. Siler told Sharkey not to hit, and, at the same time, he tried to fasten the glove on the champion's head.

The seconds of both men shouted to them to go on and finish, and they exchanged one or two blows, when Siler again came between them and refused to allow them to fight further, meanwhile trying to place Jeffries' glove on his hand. Before he succeeded in doing so, the round expired, and the fight was over. The referee announced that Jeffries was the winner. The decision was received with cheers by Jeffries friends, while Shakey's men groaned.

GEORGE SILER'S DESCRIPTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The following is a description of the battle by George Siler, the referee.

To begin with, the fight was the fastest I have ever seen. I thought when it began that it would not go over six rounds. The slugging was simply terrific. Jeffries started in with right hand body blows hard enough to stop an ordinary man or any fighter not as tough as Sharkey. It was simply remarkable that he stood them without giving way under them.

Jeffries being the longer in reach, the heavier and the more scientific, I thought that Sharkey would begin rushing tactics right from the start, and was surprised to see him stand off and spar. This, I thought, was a great advantage to Jeffries.

However, Sharkey was the first to let go, and he landed on Jeffries' breast. This set the ball a rolling. Jeffries came back with a straight left hand lead, after which he devoted all his time to Sharkey's body, leading hard and often with the right. Sharkey seemed to be all abroad in regard to his leads, going over Jeffries' shoulder repeatedly.

It looked to me that Jeffries' heavy blows would bring Sharkey down in a position for Jeffries to land a knockout. Jeffries, however, paid no attention to

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NORTH CHELMSFORD

Miss Laura G. Hoyt, teacher in the primary room of the public schools has gone to New York city where she will spend ten days visiting. During her stay in New York she will be the guest of Dr. Virgin.

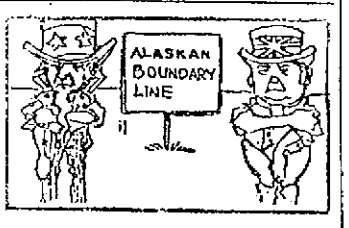
A new men's league has been organized at the Second Congregational church and at the present time the newly organized society has quite a large membership. The officers are: President, Mr. Harry C. Trombly; secretary, Mr. Arthur F. Salmon; treasurer, Mr. Preston L. Piggott. The different committees appointed at the last meeting were: Rally committee, chairman, Herbert L. Sprague; Herman Shaw, Jr.; A. C. Mitchell and Carl H. Ripley; ushering committee, J. A. Maillalieu, chairman; Carl H. Ripley, Herman Shaw, Jr., George Merrill and Edward R. Durant.

Many of our football enthusiasts will visit West Chelmsford this afternoon to see the game between the Westford academy team and the Manchesters. This will be the second time this year that these teams have been arrayed against each other and the Westford boys expect to come out victorious on their home grounds.

Mrs. F. E. Shaw and Mrs. H. G. White at the tea given on Tuesday of this week were assisted by Mrs. G. E. Nichols and Mrs. W. H. Clemence. Mrs. Davis of Haverhill delightfully entertained with songs, accompanied by Miss Fannie Robinson, on the piano.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Glidden, who have been making an extensive tour in Europe are expected home a week from tonight.



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WILLIAM M. OLIN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

GOVERNOR. Mark One.

Alfred B. Coates of Beverly, Prohibition.
W. Murray Crane of Dalton, Republican.
Robert Treat Paine, Jr., of Boston, Democratic.
George R. Peabe of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party.
Winfield P. Porter of Newburyport, Democratic Social. Nom. paper.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR. Mark One

John L. Bates, of Boston, Republican.
John H. Mack of North Adams, Democratic.
James H. Roberts of Cambridge, Prohibition.
Isaac W. Skinner of Brockton, Democratic Social. Nom. paper.
James F. Stevens of Boston, Socialist Labor Party.

SECRETARY. Mark One.

Charles H. Bradley of Haverhill, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
John B. Lewis, Jr., of Reading, Prohibition.
Henry Lloyd of Boston, Democratic.
Frank McDonald of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.
William M. Olin of Boston, Republican.

TREASURER. Mark One.

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield, Republican.
Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, Democratic.
Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop, Prohibition.
Frederick A. Nagle of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party.
Charles W. White of Winchester, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

AUDITOR. Mark One.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton, Democratic.
Frank Allen Forsstrom of Worcester, Socialist Labor Party.
John W. Kimball of Fitchburg, Republican.
Angus McDonald of Boston, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Franklin A. Palmer of Stockbridge, Prohibition.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL. Mark One

Addison W. Barr of Worcester, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Hosea M. Knowlton of New Bedford, Republican.
John H. Morrison of Lowell, Democratic.
Sidney Perley of Salem, Prohibition.
Walter P. J. Skehan of New Bedford, Socialist Labor Party.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Third District.

Oliver H. Durrell of Cambridge, Republican.
John W. Lucas of Somerville, Democratic.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Fifth District.

George F. Harwood of Lynn, Republican.
Albert S. Kent of Wakefield, Socialist Labor Party.
Daniel H. Maguire of Haverhill, Democratic.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Sixth District.

Marcellus H. Fletcher of Lowell, Democratic.
S. Herbert Howe of Marlborough, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

First Middlesex District.

Henry E. Bullard of Holliston, Republican.
Albert H. Ray of Ashland, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Second Middlesex District.

Edward B. James of Cambridge, Democratic.
John E. Parry of Cambridge, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Third Middlesex District.

Alvah E. Dearborn of Somerville, Democratic.
Franklin E. Huntress of Somerville, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Fourth Middlesex District.

John H. Clausen of Melrose, Democratic.
Joel Miller of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
George S. Smith of Everett, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Fred Joy of Winchester, Republican.
Frederic R. S. Mildon of Marlborough, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

George G. King of Concord, Democratic.
Frank A. Patch of Boxborough, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Seventh Middlesex District.

Charles Henry Hanson of Lowell, Republican.
Gardner W. Pearson of Lowell, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Middlesex and Essex District.

Howard K. Sanderson of Lynn, Republican.
Thomas W. Selig of North Reading, Democratic.
Norman A. Torrey of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Second Suffolk District.

William P. Bryant of Boston, Republican.
Peter F. Tague of Boston, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

First Middlesex District.

John C. Daley, Cambridge, Democratic.
James J. Myers of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Second Middlesex District.

Herman Bird of Cambridge, Citizen's.
James Butler of Cambridge, Democratic.
William R. Davis of Cambridge, Republican.
James A. Montgomery of Cambridge, Democratic.
Clarent G. Morgan of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Third Middlesex District.

Jonas F. Capelle of Cambridge, Republican.
Cornelius Minihan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fourth Middlesex District.

Daniel S. Coolidge of Cambridge, Republican.
Clarence H. Douglass of Cambridge, Democratic.
Charles F. Keith of Cambridge, Republican.
Thomas P. Mahoney of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Albert S. Apsey of Cambridge, Republican.
Joseph Cogan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

John L. S. Connolly of Somerville, Democratic.
Horace G. White of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Seventh Middlesex District.

John N. Ball of Somerville, Republican.
J. Edwin Bradshaw of Somerville, Democratic.
John F. Couch of Somerville, Democratic.
Frank E. Fitts of Somerville, Republican.
George W. Hayes of Somerville, Democratic.
Robert Luce of Somerville, Republican Independent Nom. Paper.
French O. J. Tarbox of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighth Middlesex District.

William L. Barber of Somerville, Republican.
Robert T. Brown of Somerville, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Ninth Middlesex District.

Nicholas H. Keyon of Medford, Democratic, Citizens.
J. William Williams of Medford, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Tenth Middlesex District.

Amos P. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edwin S. Mayo of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edward C. Mead of Everett, Republican.
H. Heustis Newton of Everett, Republican.
Fred E. Sauer of Everett, Democratic.
Philip Tworoger of Everett, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Eleventh Middlesex District.

Aaron C. Dowse of Malden, Republican.
George H. Fell of Malden, Republican.
John F. Harrington of Malden, Democratic.
Louis E. Kilday of Malden, Democratic.
William F. Merrill of Malden, Prohibition.
Bernard T. Quinn of Malden, Prohibition.
George G. Saunders of Malden, Prohibition.
William Schofield of Malden, Republican.
John P. White of Malden, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twelfth Middlesex District.

Thomas S. Spurr of Winchester, Democratic.
Samuel W. Twombly of Winchester, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirteenth Middlesex District.

J. Howell Crosby of Arlington, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fourteenth Middlesex District.

Henry R. Skinner of Watertown, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fifteenth Middlesex District.

George F. Leslie of Waltham, Republican.
Bernard J. Madden of Waltham, Democratic.
Charles F. A. Smith of Waltham, Republican.
E. Irving Smith of Waltham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Sixteenth Middlesex District.

N. Henry Chadwick of Newton, Republican.
James H. Kenrick of Newton, Democratic.
John T. Langford of Newton, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Seventeenth Middlesex District.

Henry L. Brown of Weston, Republican.
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston, Prohibition.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighteenth Middlesex District.

Horace B. Gale of Natick, Republican.
Timothy F. Sullivan of Natick, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Nineteenth Middlesex District.

Charles H. Dowse of Sherborn, Democratic.
Robert H. Leland of Sherborn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twentieth Middlesex District.

Charles D. Lewis of Framingham, Democratic.
Charles J. McPherson of Framingham, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-first Middlesex District.

George Balcom of Marlborough, Democratic.
Lucius P. Bent of Sudbury, Republican.
William M. Brigham of Marlborough, Republican.
George A. Haynes of Sudbury, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-second Middlesex District.

Thomas F. Maloney of Hudson, Democratic.
Charles H. Persons of Maynard, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-third Middlesex District.

Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford, Republican.
T. Frank Mullin of Ayer, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-fourth Middlesex District.

Edwin A. Hubbard of Ashby, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-fifth Middlesex District.

James H. McKinley of Lowell, Republican.
Frank E. McNabb of Lowell, Democratic.
William J. Quigley of Chelmsford, Democratic.
Martin Robbins of Chelmsford, Republican.
Fred H. Rourke of Lowell, Democratic.
Walter S. Watson of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-Sixth Middlesex District.

Patrick H. Barry of Lowell, Democratic.
Arthur H. Cluer of Lowell, Republican.
Richard Dobbins of Lowell, Republican.
Matthew M. Mansfield of Lowell, Democratic.
Francis B. McCarthy of Lowell, Democratic.
George E. Varney of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-seventh Middlesex District.

Butler Ames of Lowell, Republican.
John H. Riordan of Lowell, Democratic.
Daniel W. Robbins of Carlisle, Republican.
John T. Sparks of Dracut, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-eighth Middlesex District

John M. Harry of Reading, Socialist Labor Party.
Michael J. Doyle of Woburn, Democratic.
John A. Johnson of Woburn, Socialist Labor Party.
Robert J. W. Phinney of Woburn, Democratic.
Arthur E. Roberts of Reading, Republican.
Frank E. Wetherell of Woburn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-ninth Middlesex District.

Frederick O. Clark of Wakefield, Republican.
Charles A. Dean of Wakefield, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirtieth Middlesex District.

Fred E. Baker of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.
Walter S. Keene of Stoneham, Republican.
Joshua T. Nowell of Stoneham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirty-first Middlesex District.

Charles H. Adams of Melrose, Republican.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Mark One.

Middlesex County.

Levi S. Gould of Melrose, Democratic, Republican.
Joseph V. Schugel of Woburn, Socialist Labor Party.

SHERIFF. Mark One.

Middlesex County.

(To fill vacancy for remainder of term of three years from first Wednesday of January, 1899.)

John R. Fairbairn of Cambridge, Democratic, Republican.
Alfred E. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.

REFORM LEAGUE

Municipal Measures to Engage Their Attention

AT THE MEETING OF NOVEMBER 15

List of the Leading Lights to Attend

When the National Municipal League convenes for its fifth annual meeting at Columbus, O., on November 15th, the most important business to be transacted will unquestionably be the final adoption of the "Municipal Program," which in its revised and perfected shape represents the labors of seven of the League's ablest minds, covering a period of two years. The responsibility of providing a practical concept of American municipal government was not lightly undertaken. Realizing that the need existed, the committee entered on its work determined to present a broad basis for the reconstruction of governments in cities ripe for reform, and to this end the members have devoted their best efforts. The committee was appointed at the Louisville meeting, in 1897, in accordance with a resolution offered by Horace E. Deming of New York, which was unanimously adopted. Its members include Mr. Deming, chairman; Prof. Frank J. Goodnow of Columbia University; Dr. Albert Shaw of the Review of Reviews, New York; Charles Richardson of Philadelphia; Professor Leo S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania; George W. Guthrie of Pittsburg, and Clinton Rogers Woodruff of Philadelphia.

The committee was admirably chosen. It represents an unusual group of men, free from political prejudices of adequate and effective municipal government. All the research of the league has been at their disposal. They have profited by examples and instances gathered from every city of prominence in the United States. Perhaps no other seven men have had such opportunities of studying municipal conditions in this country, and the program shows that they had a clear insight into the sources of evil. In some respects the program embodies radical changes, but in others the remedy is so simple that one wonders political evils have been endured so long.

Unless an ideal municipality should spring up in a night no city is expected to at once forsake the old order of things and start a new era under the rule of the Municipal Corporation Act, drawn up by the committee. No legislature is expected to at once adopt the constitutional amendment which will change the status of cities within their borders, but the reforms outlined in those instruments will be gradually introduced, and the whole will be the definite object toward which reform movements will be directed.

Every intelligent American knows that the corruption and inefficiency in the rule of all the large cities of the United States is fostered by the form of government, which is calculated to confuse the people and destroy the effectiveness of their protest. Boss rule is made easy by a confusion of responsibility and an unwieldy system of government. The municipal program provides for such remedies as can be applied by legislation, and the American people may be depended on to utilize the remedies for their own good.

The proposed constitutional amendment and the municipal corporations act merit close study, as well as the explanatory papers prepared by members of the committee. The municipal program and all papers relating to it will be bound in one volume after adoption by the national municipal league, and will be distributed wherever good may be accomplished. The committee has endeavored to be concise and definite, but has not burdened the program with details that might apply in some cities and not in others. Wide freedom is given in the administrative organization of cities, but while any attempt at this time to outline the features of the proposed legislation would be futile, a glimpse of its purpose can be gained from a brief reference to its leading features.

The proposed constitutional changes are intended to guarantee local freedom and stability of government, for the municipal corporations act is of more immediate importance, because its essential features can be more easily adopted. Political responsibility is accepted as the guiding principle of reform, and as a logical application, unicameral municipal legislature is recommended. The advantages of two chambers of municipal representatives are believed to be far outweighed by its disbalances which dominates the national government is believed to be out of place in cities where constitutions provide the checks and where responsible, positive action is wanted. The ideal local legislature is conceived to be the standing committee of the body of citizens, and its election on a general ticket instead of by districts is advocated.

The term of office of councilmen is fixed at six years, and of the mayor at two years, but as one-third of the councilmen are to be elected at each mayoralty election, co-operation of the legislature with the administration is practically assured. The desirability of separating local from national and state elections is strongly emphasized. The system of municipal accounting is revised and perfected. Ample provision is made for civil service rules of an effective type. The sale of municipal franchises is practically prohibited by requiring a four-fifths vote of the members elected to councils and the mayor's approval, and stringent safeguards are set up to prevent the assessment of officeholders or the use of political influence in the securing of appointments. In order that citizens may have a choice of candidates unhindered by party lines, the nomination of candidates for elective municipal offices is to be by petition and not by convention.

Other important provisions are included in the act, which are absent or inadequate in present municipal governments. The effect of each one has been carefully studied by the committee, and it is believed that the municipal program prepared for the National Municipal League will bear the test of practical use. Good government is slow of achievement, but in presenting in concrete form a system free from known faults and calculated to minimize existing evils, the committee and the league have taken a long step toward that end.

Of the seven members of the committee on municipal program, Messrs. Deming, Guthrie and Woodruff are lawyers; Mr. Richardson represents the purely reform element; the academic and professional side is represented by Profs. Rowe and Goodnow, while Dr. Shaw supplied a wide knowledge of municipal conditions in this country and abroad. Some idea of the fitness of these men for the work they were selected to perform can be gained from a brief glance at their achievements.

Mr. Deming is a graduate of Harvard and a well-known New York lawyer. He was active in the old City Reform Club, in its successor, the City Club, and is counsel for the Civil Service Reform Association, of New York. He was an active spirit in the framing of many of the reform laws now in force in his state, and is an indefatigable worker. His address before the Indianapolis meeting on the committee's report was a superb example of clear and cogent reasoning.

Prof. Goodnow, a graduate of Amherst occupies the chair of administrative law in Columbia university. He is the author of two works on administrative law and of two volumes on municipal corporations. Prof. Goodnow is a patient and thorough investigator and has accomplished practical results by directing many of his pupils to the field of municipal reform.

George W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, is also a college man and is one of the foremost constitutional lawyers in Pennsylvania. Three years ago he was chosen as their reform candidate for mayor of Pittsburg, and was defeated by a narrow margin. He has since been mentioned for governor of Pennsylvania and the United States senate, but he retired from active politics to devote his attention to his profession. In ability to state a legal proposition clearly and concisely Mr. Guthrie has few equals, and his services to the committee have been of great assistance.

Leo S. Rowe is professor of municipal administration in the university of Pennsylvania, of which institution, together with the University of Halle, Germany, he is a graduate. He is a frequent contributor to standard scientific periodicals on topics on which he is considered the best authority of the younger men. Prof. Rowe is also editor of the department of municipal affairs in the Annals of the "American Academy."

Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, is a man of long journalistic experience. At one time he was editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, but of late years he has been connected with magazine work. Two of his publications which have enjoyed a wide circulation are "Municipal Government in Great Britain" and "Municipal Government in Continental Europe."

Clinton Rogers Woodruff is a Philadelphia lawyer and, although still a young man, is one of the most active reformers in the city. He has twice been elected to the state legislature and is now serving his second term. Important reform bills have been framed by him, and in his legislative duties he is always quick to discover and oppose the underhand methods by which political leaders work their selfish purposes. Mr. Woodruff's private practice would compel a less industrious man to relax his activity for reform, but by utilizing all his time to the best advantage he manages to keep up with his work. He is counsel for the Municipal League of Philadelphia, and is closely identified with the other reform organizations of his city and state.

To the work of the committee, Charles Richardson of Philadelphia, added a thorough practical knowledge of the need for civil service reform. He was one of the civil service examiners during the term of Mayor Warwick and was considered one of the most valuable members of the board. Mr. Richardson has a rare skill in drafting papers, and his assistance in phrasing the program was of great service. He devotes his time and attention almost exclusively to public affairs. He is persistent and untiring in his work for reform, and it was in answer to his call that the first conference for good government was held, which afterward resulted in the founding of the National Municipal League. With every reform movement in Philadelphia Mr. Richardson has been actively indentified, and by his activity and sagacity has aided to bring about the successes which occasionally demonstrate the power of the people to the politicians of Philadelphia.

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SOCIALIST PARTY

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The only party caucuses that can now legally be held for the nomination of candidates for the municipal election are those of the Socialist Labor party says the Haverhill Gazette, speaking of the situation in that city. Chairman M. T. Berry of that party, which is now entitled by the vote which it received last year, at the state election to recognition as a political party in the state has filed a petition for the use of the polling places on Thursday evening, Nov. 16. The last day for the filing of caucus and convention nominations is Wednesday, Nov. 22, and the time for filing nomination papers expires, the following Friday. The last day for the holding of conventions for the nomination of candidates is Monday, Nov. 20, and the caucuses must be held at least four days previous to that day. This is Thursday, Nov. 16. The two old-line parties, the republicans and democrats, have been calling caucuses under the state law and this provides that at least two weeks prior to the date for the holding of the caucuses, notice must be filed with the aldermen. As the last day for holding the caucuses, Thursday, Nov. 16, is taken by the Socialist Labor party, the other parties are now unable to call caucuses. The republican city committee met last evening but no action was taken on the holding of party caucuses, and the democratic city committee meets Friday evening, but as they cannot now get in the official two weeks notice, both will be prevented from nominating straight party tickets for the city election. The republican city committee, it is understood, favored the holding of party caucuses, but now as the time limit has expired, nominations will have to be made on nomination papers.

CLOSE OF FAIR.

The concluding night of the Primitive Methodist church fair brought out a large attendance last night and there was good business at the sales tables. Mr. Asa C. Russell presided and at the close he made a short speech in which he presented the society with a check for $25.

John Murphy, a well known young man of Centralville, has gone to Sacramento, Cal., for the benefit of his health.

Doubt Cannot Exist.

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There must be something stronger than imagination behind expressions of such representative citizens of Lowell as Mr. John C. Melloon, grocer and provision merchant at the corner of Bridge and Seventh streets, who says:

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at Paris. Both have been seen on American tracks.

The fall months are the ideal ones for cycling and it is a foolish wheelman indeed who does not get all the pleasure from them he possibly can. The air is invigorating and the scenery is more beautiful than at any other time of the year, there is none of the discomfort from heat and there is little rain and not much dust on the roads. As riders are usually in the best of condition at this time, it is not unwise to advise them to get as much riding in as they can, stopping, of course, before the danger point is reached. Even the early winter months are very enjoyable if the wheelman will take the precaution to dress well and have an extra garment or two to put on when dismounted. It is well to remember that the little inconvenience of carry a coat is worth several times over in case of a bad cold or possibly pneumonia.

It is understood that the Waverly factory at Indianapolis, Ind., will be largely used for the making of automobiles and bicycle parts the coming season.

ANOTHER DEAL

Louisville Club to Buy the Pittsburg Club

The base ball plot of 1899-1900 was thickened Wednesday by the announcement in a Washington paper that the deal of President Barney Dreyfuss of the Louisville club for the Pittsburg club has been practically consummated. This done, there is little doubt that the pick of the Louisville team will be transferred to Pittsburg, giving the latter city one of the strongest clubs in the country, made up very much as follows: Catchers, Zimmer, Bowerman, and Schriver; pitchers, Leever, Tannehill, Cunningham, Waddell and Phillippe; infield, Wagner, Ritchey and Williams on the bases; Leach, shortstop; outfield, Clarke, Beaumont and Dexter.

Then the Washington club has given an option until Nov. 4 to Michael B. Seanlan of that city. Mr. Seanlan has been interested in the movement to place an American association team in Washington. The option is given on condition that the league magnates assent to the transfer and include Washington in a circuit of twelve or eight clubs, as may be arranged.

With Mr. Dreyfuss in Pittsburg, the way to drop Cleveland ought to be easy. Then the trouble will be in the east, Baltimore would not be hard to rub off the league map as the new association is anxious to take that city, which does not belong to the high-priced circuit, anyway. That would leave nine clubs. Washington would be the easiest and really is the only city to buy out.

The Boston people have insisted right along that they would not contribute a copper to buy out a club, so that a hitch would take place right there. There never was a time, however, when the 12-club league could be as well reduced to eight clubs as now.

The story about the placing of an American association club in Boston has caused a great stir there and Tommy McCarthy was fairly waylaid yesterday with questions about the new enterprise. Providence parties were closeted with Mr. McCarthy yesterday so that the project to place a club in that city is fairly under way, and it looks as if a delegate would be present at the meeting in New York on Saturday.

The people interested in the new organization have been working very quietly and as much under cover as possible and this has given the impression that there was nothing behind the movement. No one has had less to say than the secretary, Frank Hough, though privately he has expressed the greatest confidence in the success of the organization.

Al Spink, a well known St. Louis writer has been working with might and main in the West. Spink is a great admirer of Tom McCarthy, and will doubtless hail with delight the re-entree of the famous St. Louis favorite into base ball.

CYCLING NEWS

Secretary Sturmy of the International Cyclists' Union has declared that the recent 24-hour record established by Cordang, the Dutch cyclist, will not be recognized officially because the rider was under sentence of disqualification by one of the organizations affiliated with the I. C. A. Cordang does not seem to care about the official decree any more than do some of the Americans, who have broken records under the auspices of the N. C. A. The argument in both cases is that the feat was performed honestly, was well authenticated and has been recognized as a record-breaking performance by a great many persons in the world who never heard about Sturmey in London.

The fact that McIluffee's remarkable record rides were made behind a machine with windshield attachment has, in the yes of many, placed a new estimate upon them. In France all such records are put in a class by themselves and styled "wind-shield records." They class in the sport about the same as Charley Murphy's ride behind a railroad car. While legitimate performances, they prove the possibility of the man and the bicycle, but do not demonstrate the superiority of either the man or the machine over any others.

As the days of the "ordinary" recede further into history, there appears to be increasing interest in the holding of annual runs on such machines. Two New York clubs introduced features of the kind this season and news from Cities is to the effect that the Chicago C. C., one of the largest cycling organizations in the country will have its ninth annual run or "ordinaries" on November 5th.

A three-mile race between a bicyclist and a gasoline motor carriage was run at the Kewanee, Ill., fair grounds recently. The wheelmen won by a few yards. It was a half mile track and the motor vehicle lost at the turns.

An automatic company has been organized in Hawaii with a capital of $2,000,000 and a charging plant costing $100,000 which is capable of supplying 100 vehicles a day. The company has purchased 30 electric conveyances.

Nat Butler, the handicap king, has decided to retire from racing, has opened a barber shop on Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, and proposes to settle down to business.

Tom Linton has been defeated three Sundays in succession by Edward Taylor

NEW ELECTRIC ROUTE.

At the hearing in the Danvers selectmen's room last week it was brought out that the proposed road from Middleton to Danvers was but a link in the system which is proposed.

The chief aim seems to be to connect the cities of Salem and Lynn with Lawrence and by a much more direct route than any which is now in operation. That there is need of electric communication between the north and south sections of the county is a recognized fact and if the new company steps in and builds its proposed road there is but little doubt of its being well patronized.

The route lays through a sparsely settled country, so that there is nothing to prevent the car from running at a good rate of speed. The run from Salem to Lawrence can be made, undoubtedly in a couple of hours and a little less than that time, or about twice the time taken by the steam cars. Salem and Danvers have but three trains a day to Lawrence and it seems as though there was a good opportunity for the new road to do some business. The ride would be a pleasant one, especially in summer and not a disagreeable one in winter if the road provides the fine, up-to-date rolling stock which it states it will. With the Lawrence and Haverhill, Georgetown and Danvers road in operation it would seem as though Danvers was destined to become quite a railroad centre.

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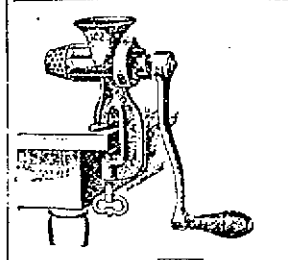

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Just received, 1,000 pounds of fresh, kiln-dried loose hops.

Good for Hop Beer.
Good for Hop Bread.
Good for Hop Pillows.
Good for Home Brewing

These hops are strictly first class high-grade goods, raised and cured this year, on specially prepared ground, for home use, by an expert hop grower. Place your order at once, as the amount is limited.

STILES & CO.,

Charles and Central Sts., Lowell.

A COMBINATION
Of Merit and Economy.

Ladies' Box Calf Shoes in button and lace, $1.50

Ladies' Kid Shoes, tip of same, button and lace, $1.50

Ladies' Kid Shoes, patent leather tip, button and lace, $1.50

These are double sole shoes with medium toes and are the best shoes we ever offered at the price.

J. J. LONERGAN,
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

TABLES ALWAYS POPULAR.

A new lot of those hard wood tables received, one with a pound of tea and coffee while they last. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 65 Merrimack street.

TOWN TOPICS.

Our new store is town talk and everybody who has occasion to buy floral designs, cut flowers or plants can do better with us than with anybody else, because we have the best that can be bought. Remember our only place of business is at No. 8 Merrimack Square, Rungis' block and our telephone number is 653 and we please everybody. Patton & Roberts, Florists.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Steamship tickets to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of the world sold on the Cunard Dominion, White Star, American Anchor, Allan, French and German lines. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England and all parts of Europe. English sovereigns bought and sold at Murphy's, steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's Coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Hot advertising—Stanley's coal.

Have you had Pelham cigars?

Pocketbooks at Devine's, 58 Mer'k St.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's Telephone, 394-4.

50,000 samples given away. Zyno! Zyno. Great Mexican Tonic. Goodale's Drug Store.

"Coal as is Coal" at lowest prices, sold by D. T. Sullivan, 984 Gorham, 227 Central Sts. Tel. 713-2.

O'Connor's Dancing School, at 212 Merrimack street, Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoon.

Louis Alexander, the Central street tailor and his assistant, Paul O. Kable, are turning out the finest dress suits ever turned out in the city of Lowell.

J. M. Spurr, custom shirt maker, at 35 Shattuck street, announces that notwithstanding the disastrous fire of last week he is doing business as usual at the old stand.

Grand lecture on "The Transvaal," by Rev. Fr. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., formerly missionary of Transvaal and Orange Free State, at 7.30 p. m., Nov. 5th at Y. M. C. I. hall, on Stackpole street. Admission 25 cents.

The gigantic purchase of Winter Underwear by the Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., make it possible for them to sell at wholesale prices and in some instances less. The big sale commenced yesterday morning and progressed steadily all day. A lot of delighted customers was the result. Today large crows are expected but the management has prepared for an emergency with a much augmented force of salespeople to wait on the trade. This is without doubt the chance of a lifetime to buy Winter Underwear. Go early in the day if possible.

THE INSPECTORS

For County Election Have Been Appointed

A COMPLETE LIST IS GIVEN

One From Each Party for Each Precinct

The following is a list of the state inspectors for the coming election who were commissioned Nov. 1 to serve in this city:

DEMOCRATIC LIST.

WARD ONE.

Precincts.
1—Patrick Owens, 403 Bridge st.
2—Hugh McNeely, 3 rear 117 Lakeview ave.
3—William Hession, 2 rear 152 Lakeview ave.

WARD TWO.

1—Frederick Cox, 232 Adams st.
2—David W. Carroll, 7 rear 120 Lewis st.
3—William Barry, 83 Adams st.

WARD THREE.

1—Bernard A. Connors, 3 Wiggin Pl.
2—Peter F. Brady, 820 Fletcher st.
3—George A. Kelley, 151 Branch st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Joseph T. Tuttle, 48 Kinsman st.
2—Dennis J. Cooney, 88 Linden st.
3—John J. McQuade, 40 Lyons st.

WARD FIVE.

1—William P. McCarthy, 37 Chapel st.
2—William Daley, Jr., 19 Richmond st.
3—Nicholas Soroghan, 33 Pleasant st.

WARD SIX.

1—Matthew Campbell, 18 Jewett st.
2—Bowers F. Hart, 39 Shedd st.
3—James P. McDonald, 207 Cumberland rd.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Owen Mulligan, 9 Bowers st.
2—Frederick F. Welch, 20 Rockdale ave.
3—Daniel J. Murphy, 123 Mount Hope st.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Edward F. Cormley, 31 Washington st.
2—Henry T. Sullivan, 392 Lincoln st.
3—James H. Gray, 23 Ellsworth st.

WARD NINE.

1—Terrence J. Cox, 534 East Merrimack st.
2—Patrick Hammersley, 43 Pond st.
3—William Sullivan, 466 Lawrence st.

REPUBLICAN LIST.

WARD ONE.

1—Samuel Hosmer, 42 Hamilton corp.
2—William B. Wilcox, 848 Bridge st.
3—Edmond Gosselin, 105 Lakeview av.

WARD TWO.

1—John J. Harrington, 91 Prince st.
2—William F. Leahy, 203 Dutton st.
3—John Barrett, 17 First st.

WARD THREE.

1—Joseph Provost, 20 Rock st.
2—George A. Bennett, 81 Marshall st.
3—James Smith, 28 Leroy st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Daniel Lawlor, 96 Appleton st.
2—Robert Burns, Jr., 4 Hale st.
3—Uriah H. Battye, 38 Prospect st.

WARD FIVE.

1—Hector Turnbull, 165 Stackpole st.
2—John P. Moore, 15 Richmond st.
3—George E. Tilton, Jr., 5 East Bleachery st.

WARD SIX.

1—John G. Jackson, 204 Tenth st.
2—Chas. G. Wellbrenner, 67 Thirteenth st.
3—Adelard Guimond, 195 Ludlam st.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Rudolph L. Lupret, 656 Fletcher st.
2—William H. Pritchard, 30 Old Meadow road, West.
3—John Moir, 342 Mammoth rd.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Freeman S. Hersey, 123 Warwick st.
2—William A. Lang, 713 Chelmsford st.
3—Joseph Craig, 30 Congress ave.

WARD NINE.

1—Daniel J. Burke, 28 Fort Hill ave.
2—William F. Westall, 91 Mansur st.
3—George Emsley, 20 Weed st.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 31 MERK ST.

THE POLITICAL FIELD

Democratic Chances are Brighter Than Ever

And the Local G. O. P. is Worried by Reason of Defection in All Sections—Straight Voting by by Democrats Assures Democratic Success

From now until next Tuesday politics will be red hot, for every candidate, democratic and republican, will put in his best and final efforts for success. The last Saturday before election sees a condition of affairs which augurs favorably for the democrats.

It finds the democratic party firmly united, in the first place, not, of course, united to a man, for there is always a certain small amount of cutting, but better united than it was last year, when three democrats were elected to the legislature. Unity is absolutely necessary for democratic success, and this applies to country voters as well as those in the city. The democrats in Chelmsford must vote for Quigley, Rourke and McNabb in order to elect any one of them. It will not do to vote for Quigley alone, for the two blanks cast will mean two half votes for the republicans. The democrats of Dracut and the other towns in the 27th district cannot afford to vote for Sparks and not for Riordan, for every blank recorded means half a vote for the republicans on the ticket and Sparks last year won by only four votes. On the other hand, the voters of wards 4, 7 and 8, the first two particularly, cannot expect success if they vote for Rourke and McNabb and not for Quigley. There is some talk that the democrats of wards 4 and 7 will vote for McKinley, Rourke and McNabb, but such would be fatal to all three and would mean the election of the three republicans, and the democrats, knowing this, are not going to sacrifice their candidates' chances by cutting the ticket. A well-known republican residing in ward 7, who is not a "pipe dreamer," made the statement to The Sun reporter that if the democrats of the entire 26th district will vote straight for their three men they will have a chance to elect all three democrats. The man who made the statement is a man of reliability, and even if it is an exaggeration there will be two if not three democrats elected in the 26th district if the democrats vote straight.

And the above statements are not extravagant when one considers the situation on the other side.

Take McKinley, for instance. He will barely carry ward 7, if he carries it at all, because of his record at city farm. The manner in which he ousted Richardson is not forgotten.

Then there's Mr. Watson, who assisted Ramsay twice in robbing Chelmsford of her rights. Ramsay without Watson and his ward 8 followers could have effected nothing, and the voters of Chelmsford are aware of the fact and will give it to Mr. Watson "in ze neck," while the labor men will remember that Watson worked against the measure for the investigation of the Marlboro strike.

And the third man, Mr. Robbins of Chelmsford, who worked against the movement to establish a cemetery for the French in that town. The French voters of ward seven are out against Mr. Robbins, as a result, and there is a movement against him in ward eight on account of the feeling left over from last year.

Thus each republican candidate in the 26th district will be cut, but as the defection is not concerted no particular democrat is known to be the favored one, and it is thus absolutely necessary that every democratic voter in the district votes the straight ticket.

In the 27th district there is some talk, probably for effect that the city democrats will vote for Riordan and Ames, but prominent ward 5 and 6 democrats who understand the situation thoroughly state positively that there is no defection in the democratic ranks, and Mr. Robbins of Carlisle and Col. Ames, who registers from "Boston," when out of town, will go down, while Riordan and Sparks will be elected.

The situation in the 26th district is more hopeful than ever. The democrats are united to a man for Mansfield, Barry and McCarthy, but on the other hand we find Mr. Varney the foe of organized labor asking for office in a district made up almost exclusively of laboring people and of that there is more further along. Then there is Mr. Cluer, who tried to defeat Hanson until he was caught at it when he suddenly became a red hot republican and last among them is Mr. Dobbins, who says "You know, I'm a republican," in order to firmly establish the fact.

So much for the representatives.

In the senatorial field Putnam defeated John L. Hunt, by 600 votes or thereabouts. But this year there are two different candidates and Hanson is not Putnam and Pearson is not Hunt. Pearson is one of the best vote getters that this city has ever produced, while his opponent is one of the poorest. Pearson is hustling personally, while Hanson depends on his friends, and his friends have fights of their own to contest.

Marcellus H. Fletcher is doing considerable work in the councillor field, and if the laboring people support him having denounced Councillor Howe, the man who caused the great suffering of the Marlboro shoe workers in the Marlboro strike, there is every prospect of him winning. The only way in which the laboring people can defeat Councillor Howe is by voting for Marcellus H. Fletcher. If they cast a blank, Howe will still be elected; if they vote for a third candidate, he will also be elected, but if they join with the democrats and vote for Marcellus H. Fletcher, Howe can be defeated.

Councillor Howe has issued a pamphlet on the Marlboro strike for the purpose of booming his candidacy. It is a lengthy affair and appeals only to the enemies of labor. In this pamphlet I find extracts from a speech made by Mr. Howe at a dinner of the New England Shoe and Leather association in Boston, December 21, 1899, and I commend it to the careful consideration of every organized labor man in the district, as follows:

"The one thing I wish to speak about is this unrest of the laboring people. In the beginning there was some need of organization of the laboring people to protect their interests. I can remember when laborers had to take orders for their work drawn on certain stores where the profit was unreasonably large on the goods; they could get no money except by selling these orders. Today by law the laborer is protected in almost every right that he could be expected to be protected in. He gets weekly payments; there are no orders; there is no chance and no disposition to take undue advantage of labor, and yet from the day he started the organization up to today, these organizations have been growing, little by little, more tyrannical, until today the organization under which shoe workers are laboring has become so tyrannical that the workmen have no right to make personal contracts with the employer. Every effort of mine and my associates is to make the work of the laboring man easy—to improve his condition in every way we can, and altogether to conduct our business in such a way that he will indirectly receive the same benefit from it that we do. And yet they are under an organization which precludes the possibility of my being on intimate terms with those in my employ.

"I have preached more for the past few years to the laboring people at home to try to convince them that the shoe business is like any other legitimate business, governed by the inflexible law of supply and demand, and that their employment depends upon whether I can make a shoe for a cent less than I sell it, and lay by something to carry me through disastrous times. The agents of the union tell me you cannot make the men believe it. Because the agents can't make them believe this is the truth, we are going to try to have them tell our story to the people. We are going to talk to the men ourselves, and, God helping, we will do it (applause); we are not asking from any man anything except what we are willing to grant ourselves. We are going to do this because it is a matter of absolute right. That is what we are standing for in Marlboro, and it is of essential value to every shoe manufacturer of Massachusetts; and while we don't ask any financial aid in our struggle, it does please us when any man lets us know that he appreciates the value of the service that we are rendering to the trade of Massachusetts. (Applause.) It is the spirit of right which animates us, and any man who has the time to say to Mr. Rice, Mr. Frye, Mr. O'Connell or Mr. Howe that they appreciate the work that is being done, it gives us courage to go on and do the thing we are trying to do—break the fetters which bind our workmen to our local labor organizations."

Editor of The Sun:

Will you please give me space in your valuable paper to inform the voters of ward four that Thomas J. Sheehan, the well known plumber with Drury & Green is still a candidate for Overseer of the Poor. A number of his friends think he has withdrawn. This is not true. Mr. Sheehan is still in the field and I am sure that he will be elected to the office for which he is running.

Mr. Sheehan is a very popular young man. He is a member of the Burkes, Foresters, Sacred Heart Lyceum and Wentworth Social Club. He has lived in this ward all his life and is known to all the democrats. If the democrats of ward four nominate Mr. Sheehan his election will surely follow.

WARD FOUR VOTER.

"Break the fetters which bind our local workmen to their labor unions."

This is Mr. Howe's great life-work to break up organized labor and yet Representative Varney, the president of the Plush Workers' union of this city voted against an investigation of his methods of breaking it up. Will the laboring people vote for Howe? They say not. But if they do not, how can they consequently vote for Varney, who assisted Howe in his work of breaking up organized labor, nor can they conscientiously vote for Cluer, or Watson, who assisted Howe in "pressing down the crown of thorns upon the brow of labor."

But getting down to municipal affairs, Mr. Daniel McVey, formerly president of the nice farmer's Fagan Debating society, which brought the present city messenger into public life, is a candidate for the common council in ward five. Mr. McVey having labored for years in the interest of other candidates is now going into the field for himself so his friends say. Mr. McVey is known to every one in the ward and to know him, his friends say, is to vote for him. A sterling democrat, a gentleman, a scholar, and a born orator, his chances for success seem to be particularly bright.

Councilman John J. Roark, who seeks a third term in the common council from ward four feels confident that with his fine record behind him he will have no difficulty in attaining his ambition.

Mr. J. Frank Clark, candidate for the common council in ward five is being predicted a winner.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Officers and Members of Prosperity Circle, No. 168, C. of F. of A.

By order of Supreme Executive Committee you are hereby notified to attend a special meeting of said Circle, to be held in Foresters' hall, Middle street, on Monday evening, Nov. 6, 1899, at 7.30 o'clock.

EDITH W. PIERCE, Sup. State Deputy.

Horse Stable Blankets at lower prices than ever known before. A good Stable Blanket for 98c, a good Street Blanket for $1.39 at Thompson Hardware Company's store.

Mr. Daniel Harrington, one of the proprietors of the Sinclair House of Bethlehem, N. H., is in Lowell for a few days, the guest of Mr. Warren Fox.

SORE FEET

Caused by corns, bunions, or callouses, quickly cured by using WAKEFIELD'S RHEUMATIC BALSAM SALVE. Price, 25c.

Goodale's Drug Store, cor. Central and Jackson Streets.

Half good won't do!

A "may-cure" cough medicine won't do. If it will "perhaps" do its work, it's worse than worthless. If it's good, it's worth ten times its price.

Do you know where to draw the line between the good and the bad? This testimonial should help

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could not find any relief whatever. My little girl read about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral being such a wonderful remedy for coughs, so I bought a bottle. It relieved me at once. Before I had taken a quarter of a bottle my cough was entirely cured. I think it is the most wonderful cough mixture ever known."—L. HAWN, Newington, Ont., May 3, 1899.

Your doctor or druggist will bear us out. Three sizes: $1.00 size, cheapest in the long run; 50c. size, just the thing for a cold that "hangs on"; 25c. size, for an ordinary, mean, disagreeable cold.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS

(Continued from Page Six.)

Sharkey's head, presumably thinking it too hard, and continued making plays for his body.

In the general mixup for the first three rounds Jeffries had all the better of it. Sharkey began roughing matters in the third round, and banged Jeffries pretty hard in the clinches, holding him with his right and forcing him into a corner with his forearm across his throat.

During the mixup which followed, Jeffries shot his right up under Sharkey's guard, catching him under the chin and dropping him. The sailor remained down, partly dazed, for the first few seconds until I had counted nine, when he arose and stood looking a bit queer. He rushed to a clinch as quickly as possible, and was met with another stiff right-hander under the heart.

It looked bad for Sharkey for two or three rounds after that, Jeffries' heart blows began to tell. He stuck gamely to his work, however, roughing it repeatedly, forcing his elbow across Jeffries' throat, getting his arms around his head and choking him and ramming his head into Jeffries' body.

Jeffries' seconds claimed foul repeatedly, and I was compelled to caution Sharkey quite often. It seemed that every time he was hit he went into it bulldog fashion, banging any old way, and roughing it as much as possible in the clinches. Several times during the fight he hit Jeffries alongside the head after the bell had sounded.

He seemed to become stronger after about the 10th round, and Jeffries, it seemed to me, was becoming weaker. Still, there was not much force in the blows of either. Sharkey swung his left at Jeffries' head time and again, and landed across his neck oftener with his forearm than he did with his glove. While he was doing this, Jeffries kept sticking out his left, reaching Sharkey's face. These blows, it appeared to me, were overlooked by the spectators, who appeared to see only Sharkey's swings.

Sharkey, it struck me, was the stronger of the two around the 14th and 15th round, and had a shade the better of the fighting. I thought, though, that Jeffries might have been holding back, as he would come with a spurt, quite often landing hard.

About this time Jeffries' nose was cut. No doubt a number of the spectators, and probably Sharkey himself, thought he did it with a blow, but it was done with his head. Jeffries stepped in to avoid a blow, and at the same time Tom went in head first and struck him on the nose.

During these rounds Jeffries lay on quite often, but Sharkey offended also by roughing it, hitting Jeffries on the body with his head and getting the strangle hold on him, using the latter to good effect.

The fighting up to this time, considering the advantage that Jeffries had gained in the early part of the fight and the margin in Sharkey's favor after that, was about equal, with, of course, Sharkey receiving the most severe punishment. After that it ramed off a bit, both leading with lefts, Jeffries making good use of his long left.

It was still anybody's fight. Jim braced up after the 20th round and had a shade the better of it for two rounds, although Sharkey would slam in one occasionally. The last three rounds were all in favor of Jeffries, who came with a rush, peppered Sharkey severely, uppercut him repeatedly with his right and had the sailor looking a bit queer.

The 24th round was all Jeffries'. He went at Sharkey heavily, and did the most execution with his right on the body and the head, though he did not overlook letting the left go now and then.

Sharkey, in the meantime was idle. He kept close to his man, and, while he did not land often, avoided a great number of blows by keeping inside of Jeffries left and right. It looked bad for Sharkey about this time, and here is where stamina and endurance showed. He stuck to his work gamely.

In the 26th round both came up fairly strong, and both went at it hard. Jeffries continued his uppercutting, but, unfortunately, toward the end his glove came off, and before I could replace it the gong sounded, calling the end of the round and the fight.

Summing up the fight as a whole, I consider that Jeffries did the cleaner work, while Sharkey roughed it. Hit low repeatedly, beside fouling by hitting several times after the bell had rung.

GEORGE SILER.

BOTH MEN'S RECORD

The following are the ring records of Sharkey and Jeffries:

SHARKEY'S RECORD.

1891.

April—Knocked out Jack Langley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.

May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. Three rounds.

May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. One round.

June—Knocked out Nick Burley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.

July—Knocked out George Washington at Honolulu. Two rounds.

July—Knocked out Billy Tate at Honolulu. Four rounds.

1895.

August—Knocked out Sailor Brown at Vallejo, Cal. Two rounds.

August—Nick Mulvihill, at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1898.

April 15—Won from Joe Choynski, San Francisco. Eight rounds.

June 23—Fought a draw with James J. Corbett at San Francisco. Four rounds.

December 2—Won from Bob Fitzsimmons on foul at San Francisco. Eight rounds.

1897.

June 6—Fought a draw with Peter Maher at New York. Seven rounds.

November 15—Won from Joe Goddard at San Francisco. Six rounds.

1898.

November 11—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Eight rounds

May 6—Lost to James J. Jeffries at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

June 29—Knocked out Gus Rublin at Coney Island. One round.

November 22—Won from Jim Corbett on a foul at New York. Nine rounds.

1899.

January 10—Knocked out "Kid" McCoy at New York. Ten rounds.

Nov. 3.—Lost to Jim Jeffries. Twenty-five rounds.

JEFFRIES' RECORD.

1887.

April 5—Knocked out T. Van Buskirk at San Francisco. Two rounds.

May 19—Knocked out Dick Baker at San Francisco. Nine rounds.

July 17—Fought a draw with Gus Rublin at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

November 30—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1898.

February 23—Won from Joe Goddard at Los Angeles, Cal. Four rounds.

March 12—Won from Peter Jackson at San Francisco. Three rounds.

April 21.—Won from Pete Everett at San Francisco. Three rounds.

May 6—Won from Thomas Sharkey at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

August 5—Won from Bob Armstrong at New York. Ten rounds.

1899.

June 9—Knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons at Coney Island. Eleven rounds.

Nov. 3.—Won from Tom Sharkey at Coney Island. Twenty-five rounds.

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This Complexion Treatment is a guaranteed specific, perfectly safe and sure in its action, for the removal of various disorders of the skin, viz: Pimples, Blotches, Freckles, Sunburn, Discolorations, Eczema, Blackheads, Roughness, Redness, and restores the Bloom of Youth to faded faces. Boxes containing 10 days' treatment 50c; 30 days' treatment, $1.00; six boxes $5.00 with positive written guarantee to produce the above results or cheerfully refund $5.00 paid. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Send for circular.

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CHANGE OF FIRM.

The bakery known as Brennan's bakery corner of East Merrimack and Fayette street, has been purchased by PATRICK McCARTIN, the well known Concord street baker and in the future this bakery will supply the demands of the people in that vicinity as well as the public in general with the best quality of bakery supplies and baked beans and brown bread. Wedding cakes a specialty. Receptions supplied at short notice from either of our stores. None but the best quality of stock used by us and always the most skilled workmen employed at our stores, corner East Merrimack and Fayette street, and 24 and 38 Concord street.

I had my Winter Coat made at Gorman & Sullivan's, 25 Palmer Street. Isn't it a Dandy?

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Makes Women Look Young and Feel Young

The great health giver and beautifier for women is Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, that great vegetable compound for women, so pure, harmless and healthful, for nothing in the world so surely and quickly restores lost health, gives strength and vigor to the nerves, purifies and enriches the blood, and makes women strong and well as does Dr. Greene's Nervura.

Dr. Greene's Nervura clears the complexion of that dark, sallow, pale look; removes eruptions, blackheads, and humors, makes the skin velvety and glowing with rosy color, the eyes brilliant, the lips red, imparting a full round contour to face and form.

Above all, Dr. Greene's Nervura banishes melancholy and restores the lively spirits, vivacity, light, elastic step, and exuberant life, energy and enjoyment which constitute happiness in women. Dr. Greene's Nervura does all this, because it makes women well and strong, and thus prevents them from growing old before their time. It makes them look young and feel young, for it braces women up as nothing else in the world can. Try Dr. Greene's Nervura. You will never regret it.

Women Need Skilled Advice.

Dr. Greene is the most successful specialist in curing female complaints, the physician to whom thousands of women write in regard to their diseases and who gives consultation and advice absolutely free of charge. Many thousands of women have regained health and strength and become happy mothers through the timely advice and counsel of this skillful woman's physician. If you are a sufferer from any of the weaknesses and diseases peculiar to women do not fail to write to Dr. Greene about your case at once, at his office, 35 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., and by following his advice based upon his long experience and remarkable success, you can be absolutely certain of being cured. Write at once. It will cost you nothing to get his advice.

DROPPED DEAD

DAVID KENDALL, SON OF LATE JONATHAN KENDALL OF THIS CITY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—David Kendall, 81 years of age, member of the New York branch of the firm of Kendall & Co., paint manufacturers of Boston, dropped dead in the corridor of the Hotel Cadillac at 3.30 yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by heart disease. Mr. Kendall appeared to be in robust health.

He was a son of the late Jonathan Kendall, paint manufacturer of Lowell, Mass.

The body will be shipped to Boston.

MEETING OF IRISHMEN.

A meeting of local Irishmen, interested in the work of Lord Mayor Tallon and John E. Redmond toward establishing a Parnell monument fund, will be held in the Washington Tavern tomorrow afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to have the distinguished Irishmen address the Irish of Lowell.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

A business and social meeting of the Lowell High school alumni was held in Union hall last night. President A. E. Ellis presided. Only routine business was transacted. The following program was carried out: Piano solo, Miss Jane C. McKinley; vocal solo, Mr. John Coyne; reading, Miss Mary Falvey, quartette, Misses: E. M. Graham, Annie Paulson and Messrs. E. J. Webster and John Coyne; speech, Mr. A. E. Ellis; solo, Miss Paulson; stump speech, Frank Rownsley; solo, Miss Falvey; remarks, E. J. Webster.

The concluding hour was spent singing college songs and other forms of social amusement.

STEINERT'S 15 PIANO STORES.

In as many different cities in New England, including Boston, Providence, Pawtucket, Worcester, Springfield, New Haven, Bridgeport, Manchester, Portland, Lawrence, Newport and the local branch at 130 Merrimack Street. Established over 30 years. The leading piano house in this country. Don't buy a piano before inspecting their stock.

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is not a stimulant but a blood purifying, cleansing and harmless mixture of vegetable ingredients which cures disorders of the digestive tract and expels worms. It does not whip the tired organs into temporary activity as most remedies do, followed by an equal reaction, but True's Elixir removes the cause of the trouble and its tonic effects are due to good, sound digestion and pure blood, which follow its use. A favorite family medicine for 47 years. Its popularity is due entirely to its cures. Ask your druggist for it. 85 cents a bottle. DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., AUBURN, ME.

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1

The druggist sat in his armchair,
Conning his price-lists o'er;
Dreading of cut-rate warfare
And the victories he would score.

2

The druggist stood at his counter,
The envious gazed in d'smay,
His was the store sought for plunder,
His windows the ones for display.

3

The druggist sat in his arm chair;
Conning his pocket-book o'er;
And found the result of his warfare,
Big duns, a few pennies, but, alas! nothing more.

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EVACUATED

British Troops Withdraw From Colenso

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—It is officially announced that the British have evacuated Colenso, south of Ladysmith.

NEWS CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—The war office later issued the following announcement: "The colonial office has received information to the effect that British troops have withdrawn from Colenso, and have concentrated further south, but w have no news of an engagement in that neighborhood."

CROSSED THE BRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BURGHERSDORP, Cape Colony, Nov. 2.(Delayed in transmission)—The Boers crossed Bethulie bridge this morning. About 300 more of them are expected to cross this afternoon.

WAR OFFICE RETICENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The war office at noon today repeated the statement of yesterday that belated despatches from Ladysmith were coming through. There was nothing given out, however. Nothing has been received to corroborate the reiterated reports from Berlin of the capitulation of Gen. White.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Pietermaritzburg dated November 1, said Ladysmith was perfectly quiet this morning and another from the same place to the company said that numbers of women and children left Ladysmith yesterday evening on a passenger train escorted by an armored train.

A third dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company dated Cape Town, November 1, announced that the Boers had entered Cape Colony at Norvals Spruit, destroying several bridges.

The British troopship Rapidan which sailed for South Africa, November 1, from Liverpool is returning in a damaged condition, having encountered yesterday's storm. She signalled that her fittings were out of order and that several horses were dead and three of her boats were stove in. She is going to Liverpool to be refitted.

LONDON FEARS THE WORST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The following official announcement has been made by the war office:

"No news has been received from Ladysmith up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. We therefore presume that the wires are still interrupted."

In spite of the silence the officials in the war office did not credit the various rumors as to the position of the garrison and grave anxiety is felt at present regarding the ability of Gen. White to hold his own.

NAVAL GUNS MOUNTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LADYSMITH, Nov. 1.—(Afternoon, via Cape Town).—Four naval long range guns have been mounted here.

35 BATTALIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—An army order issued last evening, instructs the proper authorities to mobilize 35 battalions of militia at their respective headquarters on various dates after Nov. 20.

BUILDING DEFENSIVE WORKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—A Daily Telegraph despatch got through Tuesday afternoon says that defensive works were then in course of construction upon the hills near Ladysmith, and it was expected the big naval guns would be mounted at once. Ladysmith, he also says, is provisioned for two months.

All accounts concur in showing that Gen. Joubert's forces suffered severely from our artillery fire on Monday, as they have in every encounter.

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SUN LATEST

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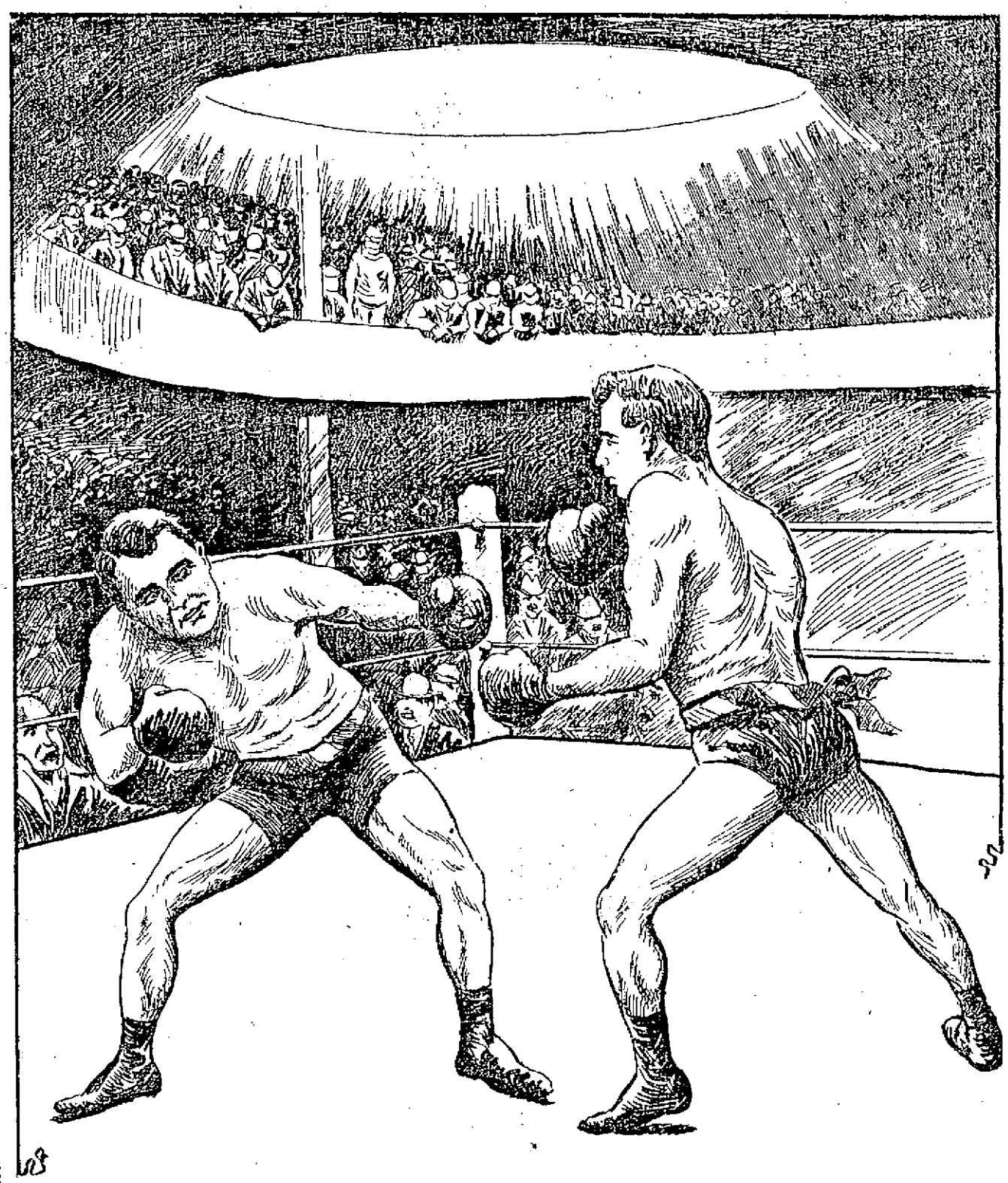
JEFFRIES WON



CHAMPION JEFFRIES AND TOM SHARKEY AS THEY APPEARED IN THE RING LAST NIGHT.

Drawn by Roberts, from Description Telegraphed from the Ringside to The Sun.

In One of the Hottest Fights on Record—Jeffries Had the Best of it in Most of the Rounds and Was Awarded the Decision on Points—The Fight by Rounds and the Referee's Opinion

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONEY ISLAND, Nov. 4.—James J. Jeffries, the California boiler maker, is still the champion of the world, having been awarded the decision against Tom Sharkey after the greatest fistic battle of modern times.

Jeffries won on points. At the end of the 25th round, Referee George Siler gave him the decision, deciding him to be the better boxer and ring general though the decision caused considerable dissatisfaction because Sharkey was clearly the aggressor in 20 of the 25 rounds and did nearly all the leading. In the first two rounds, Jeffries belted Sharkey all over the ring and it looked like another case of exploded phenom., but then Tom O'Rourke laid down the law to the sailor and for 20 consecutive rounds after that, Sharkey was the better man. In the 22d round, Jeffries suddenly took on new life and from then to the finish hammered Sharkey at will and had him in a bad way. Had the fight been a finish one it would have been all off with the Sailor, while had Jeffries not lost a glove in the final round it is not improbable that he would have finished Sharkey within the limit. Throughout Jeffries was careful and took no chances while Sharkey fought with bull dog tenacity throughout and was confident to the very end.

O'Rourke said after the fight that two of Sharkey's ribs were broken, but Sharkey evidently didn't believe it. It was one of the most marvelous battles that have ever taken place and the greatest crowd that ever gathered in the Coney Island house witnessed the desperate struggle for supremacy.

In five rounds Jeffries had the better of the fight in the first two and in the last three. During the other twenty, Sharkey forced the issue and like a bull terrier was at his man with both hands unceasingly. In those twenty rounds, Jeffries' great weight and brawn helped him to hold off the Sailor and in the twenty-second round he swung a couple of vicious uppercuts that made Sharkey groggy. Tom came back again in the 24th and 25th but he was weakened greatly by Jeffries' vicious blows. One minute before the gong sounded to end the fight, Jeffries' left glove came off and practically the contest was over.

The referee motioned to Jeffries' corner so an American flag was thrown around the champion's shoulders the crowd on that side and end of the arena cheering wildly. The crowd on the opposite side and end near Sharkey's corner, yelled for Sharkey and the men were led back to their dressing rooms.

The thousands of spectators perched 40 feet high around the building and the place was packed from ringside to rafters. The aisles around the ring were lined. The tremendous crowd sweated under the glare of 400 arc lights, 15 feet or less from the canvas of the squared circle. The heat was intense. The fighters were almost exhausted and the spectators shrieked themselves hoarse.

It seemed at first as though it would be a short fight, for in second round Jeffries put the sailor to the ropes with a left on the jaw and the referee began to call off the seconds as Sharkey knelt on the floor. But from the third round on, Sharkey with his vicious swings to the ribs and the jaw, kept the crowd on its feet waiting for a knockout.

Jeffries stood the terrific punishment and with his eye, nose and ear split came back just as viciously in the last three rounds and almost relieved himself. Then came the unfortunate and unsatisfactory ending. Jeffries' glove flying off, bringing the fight to an end although the crowd urged Sharkey to rush in and end it. This he tried to do but Jeffries fought him back and referee Siler rushed to the rescue. It was noticeable that Jeffries used his weight to its best advantage throwing himself all over the sailor; but the latter did his share of the hugging, too, and both were warned repeatedly.

Ten thousand spectators gathered around the ringside. Though Coney Island was swept by a gale the cars came down crowded to the guards in a swiftly moving line and sports waded knee deep to the narrow entrances leading to the arena.

A preliminary event of 10 rounds at 128 pounds preceded the big event. Kid Goulette of Rochester, who looked a great deal like Jeffries on a small scale, was beaten by Tommy Moran of Brooklyn. Then, after half an hour's delay, Tom Sharkey could be seen making his way through the crowd. He was well received but Jeffries was cheered to the echo. Sharkey had on green trunks with an American flag for a belt while the champion wore black. Jeffries had behind him Billy Delaney, Ernest Roche, Tommy Ryan and his brother, Jack Jeffries.

Sharkey was led to the southwest corner by Tom O'Rourke and was attended by George Dixon, Morris Kelly and Tim McGrath. O'Rourke superintending the entire procedure.

George Siler referee d. Jeffries weighed 212 pounds and Sharkey 28 pounds less, but the latter looked to be in better condition.

The betting at the start was 100 to 70 on Jeffries.

They shook hands and shaped up well. Jeffries led and then landed several times. He was generally over or under. On the other hand the sailor was wild, going in to the fight with both hands and swinging wildly, but he did not land the first [illegible]

In second Sharkey was flopping around [illegible] he came in for a nasty left that [illegible] him over. It looked then as though Sharkey was clearly outclassed.

O'Rourke, however, gave the sailor a talking to, and to the amazement of all, Sharkey swung home on Jeffries' ribs.

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THE SUN EXTRA

A BOLD BURGLAR

Entered a House on Concord Street

DURING THE DEAD OF NIGHT

Failed to Secure Any Plunder, However

The house of David O'Connell, 167 Concord street, was entered by a bold burglar shortly before 12 o'clock last night. Mrs. O'Connell was awakened by a noise at the door. She immediately awaken her husband and they heard someone at the door say: "Open this door."

Mr. O'Connell replied that he would in a minute. His wife and two daughters, however, would not permit him to go to the door, fearing that the man might do him bodily harm. The O'Connells occupy the upper portion of a two-tenement block. Mrs. O'Connell and her daughters became excited and they opened the windows and began to yell for police.

Mr. O'Connell would not open the door, despite the threats of the burglar, which the man evidently was. The man soon went away from the door and walked out into the yard. He did not go away, however, notwithstanding the cries of Mrs. O'Connell and the two girls. He was a bold fellow and stood under one of the windows for more than a half hour.

Notwithstanding the fact that the female occupants of the house yelled continuously for the police for more than three quarters of an hour, yet no officer could be found and it was not until 3 o'clock this morning that an officer appeared on the scene. The man stood under the window for about half an hour and then walked out of the yard leisurely and disappeared down the street.

After he went away Mr. O'Connell opened the door and came down stairs. He found the door leading into the yard opened and there were a number of burnt matches on the stairs. This morning the cellar window was found opened and it is possible that the burglar gained entrance through the window.

The fellow failed to carry off any plunder. The police authorities have been notified and will endeavor to find the bold culprit. Mrs. O'Connell, although considerably frightened at the time is confident she could identify the man if she sees him again.

The police officer on the beat was severely criticized by Mr. O'Connell for his tardiness in appearing on the scene.

GOOD NIGHT

WAS SPENT BY VICE PRESIDENT HOBART.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Another comfortable night was passed by Vice-President Hobart without incident and at half past seven this morning he was still sleeping. Dr. Newton, the family physician, slept as usual in the house but he was not called upon to render any services. Neither was any member of the family obliged to sit up during the night in the sick room. One of the nurses, said this morning that Mr. Hobart, while very weak, did not appear to have lost any strength in the last 24 hours. She said his vitality was remarkable and that he was living entirely on that. A constable was detailed at the house to mitigate the disturbance due to friends who called and unthinkingly rang the door bell. The telephone in the house has been disconnected and every precaution taken to insure quiet.

WANTED FOR LARCENY.

Inspector Lafrance went to Nashua this morning and arrested Benjamin Jackson, alias Benjamin Loraine, who is wanted in this city for the larceny of a watch from one Jos. Cote. Jackson is about twenty years old and prior to his going to Nashua worked in this city.

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THE SUN LATEST! 5 O'CLOCK

HE TOOK POISON

Erwin McKee Committed Suicide Yestereday

AT HIS HOME ON D STREET

Deed Attributed to Despondency

Edwin McKee, 39 years old and secretary of Highland Council, Royal Arcanum, and a well known citizen committed suicide yesterday between 11 o'clock and noon by taking poison. McKee drank cresolene which contains a large per cent. of carbolic acid and the unfortunate man drank the contents of a two-ounce bottle. The deed is attributed by his family and friends to despondency on account of his inability to secure employment.

He has been out of employment and seeking a position for the last two months. Mr. McKee was for fourteen years shipping clerk for Mr. Nichols at his produce market on Market street. He left Mr. Nichols about a year and a half ago and has not been employed steadily anywhere since. He worked a few months for the Boston and Maine company at the Western avenue freight station and resigned his position several weeks ago on the expectation of taking a more lucrative one with another company. The better position, however, failed to materilize, hence his despondency.

Thursday he procured a position in one of the mills but it was not to his liking. He worked Thursday and at night was very cheerful. Friday morning, Mrs. McKee called her husband and served his breakfast before he went to work. Mr. McKee did not eat a hearty breakfast and while not appearing so cheerful as he did the night before, Mrs. McKee little thought that any intention of self destruction was wrangling in his brain and she is confident that her husband's rash act was not premeditated but was committed in a moment.

Mrs. McKee and her mother came down town Friday morning about 10 o'clock to do some shopping and when nearing the Middlesex street station, Mrs. McKee noticed her husband standing near the station. She approached him and without asking any questions kindly said: "Erwin, I wish you would go right up to the house. I left Harry and Ella alone and they will be lonesome." Mr. McKee said he would go right home and he did.

On reaching the house he said to Harry, the second oldest boy: "I saw your mother down street and she will be home in a little while." Little Ella was playing on the floor and her father took her in his arms and kissing her put her down again and went up stairs. Ella, who had been in Bedford with her grandmother for three weeks had not seen much of her papa of late and after he had been gone a few minutes she started up stairs calling for him. He came to the head of the stairs and told Ella to be a good little girl and not come any further. "Be quick and come down, papa," said little Ella as she retraced her steps down the stairs.

A half hour elapsed when Harry and Ella who were playing together on the floor were startled by hearing some one fall in one of the rooms upstairs. Neither of the children went upstairs, as they thought their father had probably slipped and fell while reaching for something. He resumed his play with Ella but in another few minutes he heard his father fall again and this time he knew the thud which he heard came from the bath room.

He ran upstairs and opening the bath room door part way he saw the body of his father on the bath room floor. Harry is only 11 years old and it is not surprising that he was afraid and ran downstairs screaming. Alexander, the oldest boy, was visiting across the street and Harry went after him.

When Alexander arrived he went immediately to the bath room and found his father unconscious on the floor. The little fellow later said that his father appeared to be choking and he stooped down and released his father's collar and shirt. He said his father tried to speak to him but he was too far gone. Alexander went into an adjoining room and getting a pillow placed it under his father's head. He then went to the nearest telephone and summoned Dr. Field. Mr. McKee was yet alive when the doctor arrived but he was beyond the help of human aid and died a few minutes later.

Besides his wife and children he is survived by his father and one sister. His father is now in Boston and will not know of his son's death until some time today.

PROF. WOODBRIDGE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Nov. 4—Luther Dana Woodbridge, professor of anatomy and physiology in Williams college, died here of heart failure yesterday morning.

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FIVE MISSING

MEN PROBABLY LOST IN MOTT STREET FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The large fire in Mott street yesterday destroyed more lives than was at first supposed. There was a gathering of men employed in the building today and it was learned that three men supposed to be safe could not be found. Roger Di Pasco, 21 years old, who was reported missing last night, turned up all right. The revised list of missing is as follows:

John R. Weir, superintendent of the Manhattan Bed company.
Michael Conlan, engineer.
Charles Smith, packer.
Albert Bush, bricklaker.
Max Albin, riveter.

Weir, Bush and Albin were at work on the third floor of the building when the fire was discovered. It is probable that they were suffocated. Smith and Conlan, the engineer, were in the basement.

BIG FIRE

DESTROYED A FOUNDRY PLANT AT EAST BRAINTREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EAST BRAINTREE, Mass., Nov. 4.—The worst fire that has occurred here for several years partially destroyed the Victor Metal and Foundry company's plant, early this morning. Three men were injured and the loss is estimated at $10,000 partially insured.

The injured are:

Ex-Chief F. O. Whitmarsh, received several severe cuts on the head and face from falling into an eight-foot vat and was taken out unconscious.

District Engineer Battles, right thigh severely wrenched by falling into the vat.

District Engineer Kelley, overcome by smoke, and severely cut over the right eye by falling.

ROYAL ARCANUM NOTES.

Next Tuesday evening Lowell council will play a return game of whist with Highland Council at their hall. The same teams will play as before.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 15th, the first of five union meetings will be held with Billerica council. John J. Hogan, Esq., will give a talk on law, a well known brother will speak of the Royal Arcanum and a musical program has been arranged for the evening. Let the members go in good numbers.

Lowell council is making an effort to have supreme regent Apgar and suite at its next regular meeting Nov. 16th. If he comes it will be a red letter night with the Arcanum as Brother Apgar is probably the most enthusiastic worker that the order has ever had.

JEFFRIES-SHARKEY

BOTH PUGILISTS PRETTY SORE AFTER THE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—After the Sharkey-Jeffries bout was over last night the two pugilists were taken to separate turkish bath establishments uptown. With two broken ribs and a lame shoulder, Sharkey was willing to be assisted in his movements, and when he and his attendants reached their destination after a long ride in a cab, he was carried into the bath house and rubbed down. During that operation he talked a little, saying he would have put Jeffries out if he had not wrenched his left shoulder in the eighteenth round. "I was like fighting with one arm after that," he said. He did not know how he wrenched the shoulder.

Before coming over from Coney Island, Jeffries was driven to his headquarters on the Ocean Boulevard, where he packed his grip, after which he rode in a coupe over to the borough of Manhattan. He remained at the bathing rooms until noon, when he set out for Philadelphia. The champion seemed anything but pleased over the result of the fight. He had expected a much easier task. There is a big lump on his cheek bone and a slight abrasion on the forehead between the eyebrows, and the skin of the nose is badly lacerated. His left arm—which was strained while training, is now almost useless. It bothered him considerably during the last round of last night's fight.

VON DER AHE'S SUIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 4—Judge Withrow has given a decision in the suit of Chris Von der Ahe against the Chicago league baseball club and others in an action for damages because of the sale of Sportsman's park and club. The court sustained a demurrer of the defendants which alleged that the petition does not state a sufficient cause for action.

Von der Ahe sued the various clubs belonging to the National league to recover the difference between what the club brought when it was sold, namely, $350 and what he alleged the property was worth.

A WATERSPOUT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MADRID, Nov. 4.—Medajoes, a town 18 miles from Valladolid was greatly damaged yesterday by a waterspout. Fortunately no lives were lost.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; cooler westerly winds.

LIGHTSHIP IS SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 4.—Relief lightship No. 58, which was reported missing last night, came into port today safe and sound. She had gone to South Shoal with a relief crew and coal for the ship there, and has been waiting for suitable weather to make a transfer. It was effected last night.

STABBING AFFRAY

FRANK BACON STABBED PHILIP SALMON ON SOUTH STREET.

Frank Bacon, aged about 59 years, was arrested this afternoon just as the paper was going to press for stabbing a man named Philip Salmon, on South street, between Sumner and Appleton streets.

Both men were together and got into a quarrel and Bacon stabbed Salmon on the left side in one of the lower ribs.

Salmon was taken to St. John's hospital in a serious condition.

BOY SHOT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FITCHBURG, Nov. 4.—John, the 11-year-old son of John T. Keefe, was accidentally shot by his 15-year-old brother Martin about 4.30 yesterday afternoon, and the injured lad is now at the Burbank hospital in a precarious condition.

It was another case of didn't know it was loaded.

COLUMBIANS ORGANIZE.

A new team will be seen in the basket ball field this season. They are the Columbians. The team is now practicing in the Burkes' gymnasium and recently they defeated the Burke Juniors in a hot game by the close score of 9 to 8. The team is made up as follows: M. Reardon, E. Murphy, guards; J. Flynn, centre; T. Mason and G. Mitchell, forwards.

SERIOUS CHARGES

Made in the Report of Military Board

MAJOR RAFTER SEVERELY CRITICISED

Colonel Metcalfe is Also Blamed

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 4.—The Examiner says that the most sensational report of a military board of inquiry ever sent to the war department from this city has been forwarded to Washington from the headquarters of Major General Shafter. The document consists of nearly 100 typewritten pages and contains the severest kind of criticism of the methods employed by officers in charge of the sick soldiers who returned from the Philippines on the transports Tartar and Newport, October 10.

Upon Major Rafter, the surgeon of the 20th Kansas volunteers, who came back on the Tartar, the heaviest censure is laid. Col. Metcalf of the same regiment, who commanded the ship, General Funston being only a passenger, is indirectly referred to. Many other officers are given a hard measure of criticism but their names are being withheld until the war department sees fit to make known the details of the report. The board of inquiry which has so severely arraigned the transport service was appointed by General Shafter two weeks ago at the suggestion of Col. Alfred C. Girard, chief surgeon in the general hospital at the Presidio. Col. Girard's desire for an investigation was occasioned by the deplorable condition in which he found the sick men from the transports Tartar and Newport. There were about 40 of them and nearly all were suffering fom dysentery.

Three men who came on the transports died a few days after their arrival. They were John Fabisak and John A. Logan of the 4th cavalry and George W. Hills of the 20th Kansas.

FUNERALS.

LIVINGSTON—Services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock over the remains of Daniel Livingston, from his late residence, 13 Belmont street. Rev. C. L. Merriam, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, was the officiating clergyman, he officiating both at the house and grave. There was singing, appropriate and impressive, by Messrs. Burns and Wirt, Sons, grandsons and near relatives acted as bearers. The floral tributes were profuse and beautiful and bore mute testimony of the appreciation and respect in which the grand old man was held. Mr. Willard Everett had charge of the funeral arrangements. The interment was in the Lowell Cemetery, under the direction of Mr. J. H. Currier.

Daniel Livingston was born on the Livingston farm in Tewksbury, part of which is now in Lowell, August 17, 1811, one of three children of Daniel Livingston. When a young man he began business with William Livingston, the establishment of which is now carried on by William E. Livingston. In later years he managed the affairs of the concern until he retired in 1885, after 56 years of service, at which time those with whom he had been associated in business for so many years took occasion to mark the separation with evidence of esteem and appreciation. The deceased never aspired to political office, nor did he affiliate with any of the fraternal societies; his home was his lodge and there he was a loving father and husband as he was a companionable man at all times. He had witnessed the growth of the city of Lowell from a mere settlement to its present proportions, and was always a public spirited and progressive citizen. In his death the community loses one of its most valuable citizens, a home builder and of the class of men that are a great power for good.

BURLEIGH—The funeral of Mrs. P. J. Burleigh took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Hardy, 10 Manahan street. Appropriate selections were rendered by Mrs. Leonard Hartley and Mrs. Horace Hanson. Rev. Mr. Ford officiated. Among the numerous floral tributes were: A pillow of roses, pinks and chrysanthemums, from husband; wreath from brothers and sisters of the deceased; sprays of pinks, Mrs. G. B. Palmer, Mrs. J. H. Peevey, Mrs. T. N. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. P. H. Coburn and Mrs. L. J. Blackwell; sprays of chrysanthemums, Miss Lou Sponholtz, Mrs. Frank L. Robitaille; autumn leaves, Miss Lizzie Drake and Mrs. Maud Wilson; spray of roses, Musicians' club; broken wreath, Hibbard's orchestra. The bearers were J. H. Hibbard, J. P. Larkin, H. J. Martel and B. A. Tanner. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Funeral Director J. A. Welnbeck.

CULLEN—A requiem mass was celebrated at St. Peter's church yesterday morning for the repose of the soul of Bridget Cullen, Rev. Fr. Saunders being the celebrant. The pall bearers were James D. Haley, James Hill, Martin Hearn and Patrick Maguire. Rev. Fr. Saunders also officiated at the grave. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker McDermott.

LAFFERRIERE—The funeral of Angelina Lafferriere, wife of Norbert, took place yesterday morning from her late home, 4 Montcalm avenue. A requiem mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's church; Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., being the celebrant. The funeral was largely attended. The bearers were Joseph Lafferriere, Hilege Hervieux, Alphonse Dalphond, Narcisse Clairemount, Ildege and Theophile Jubinville. Rev. Fr. Deroche, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

AUBY—A requiem mass was celebrated yesterday morning at St. Jean Baptiste church over the remains of Napolean Auby, Rev. Fr. Guillard, O. M. I., being celebrant. The bearers were Messrs. S. Leblanc O. Desmarais, H. Bivet and J. Sigmane. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Archambeault.

The thing that has attracted people's attention most of late is the low prices of Furniture of Gaynor & Co., 35 Prescott street. Every housekeeper in the city should call before purchasing elsewhere and save dimes and dollars.

NEWS CONFIRMED

OF THE DROWNING OF TWO ENGINEERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The Isthmian canal commission today received cable advices confirming the reported drowning of two members of one of the survey parties now in Nicaragua. The engineers lost were Frank B. Clarke of Fulton, N. Y., chief of the party, and Oliver Collinging Mlamack, rodman, of Washington, D. C. The dispatch was from Engineer Miller, chief of the Nicaraguan surveys, and gave no details beyond stating that the men were drowned at Machuca Rapids on Sunday last and that the bodies have been recovered. Two native laborers also were drowned.

DEATHS.

LARKINS—Frank Larkins, for many years flagman and station agent at Bennett's hall station, Billerica, passed away at St. John's hospital this morning at 2 o'clock. Deceased is 62 years of age, and is survived by a wife and two children, who reside in Chichester, N. H.

COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS.

The committe on accounts will meet at city hall this afternoon.

BILLERICA NEWS

Mr. C. W. Wild has nearly completed his hothouse. It is 150 feet long and 36 feet wide. It is the largest hothouse in Billerica.

Mr. Charles Shedd, who has been out of work on account of a seven week illness, resumed work yesterday as engineer at Dickinson's cider mill.

Mr. Wallace, who has been a farm hand at Nat Jones' place, will accept a position as farm hand at Nelson Parker's farmer. He takes the place of Mr. Deverix.

GOLD DEMOCRATS

APPEAL TO VOTERS TO SUPPORT PAINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—A number of gold democrats of the state, including Charles R. Codman, Thomas Higginson, Moorefield Storey, Dana Bates, Harvey N. Shepard, Winslow Warren, Charles Fleisher and Gamaliel Bradford, have issued an address to the voters of the state, calling upon them to support Robert Treat Paine, Jr., democratic candidate for governor. The signers of the appeal say that while they do not agree with all the planks in the democratic platform, they believe "that it is of supreme importance to instill fear to the president and to congress that a policy of criminal aggression in the Philippines does not receive the support of the country."

CYCLING NEWS

Boston, Oct. 30, 1899.

A. W. Pease, Esq., Secretary Election Committee:

Dear Sir:—I hereby formally request your committee to either declare as elected the independents, or proceed to an election as the constitution and by-laws of the division require. Yours truly,

ARTHUR K. PECK.

Boston, Oct. 31, 1899.

Lafayette G. Blair, Esq., Chairman Rights and Privileges Committee:

Dear Sir:—The Massachusetts division board at its last meeting, with a full knowledge of the financial condition of the division, and with a sufficient amount in the treasury to meet the preliminary expenses of an election, did formally elect an election committee, for the purpose of holding an election. Certain parties complying with the division constitution and by-laws have been regularly nominated as independents, and I maintain that an election should be held forthwith, or that those independent candidates should be declared elected. Chief Consul Elliott has taken upon himself to order said committee (election committee) not to proceed with an election until he grants his permission. The national constitution, article 2, section 1, provides that "The chief consul and secretary-treasurer and vice-consul, together with the representatives, shall constitute the division board of officers, with power to make and execute a constitution and by-laws for the government of the division." By this power vested in it, the Massachusetts division board has ordered a committee to proceed with an election. The chief consul being only a servant of this division board, has absolutely no authority, I maintain, to set aside for political purposes or otherwise, that which the division board orders. I must respectfully ask for a ruling from your committee. I believe this action of the chief consul is largely for political purposes, to prevent parties from securing office who have incurred his displeasure, to which election expenses is secondary. Your attention is called to the statement at your hearing by the secretary of the election committee wherein he stated that he intended to get out the ballots, and was proceeding with the work of the committee, pending your decision. Now that you have decided in favor of the independents, and therefore against the choice of the chief consul, he, the chief consul, suddenly takes an unwarrantable action in holding up the election. A year ago, in spite of the fact that the division was in debt over a thousand dollars, an election was held, for which I am told that Mr. Elliott was largely responsible. Now, with sufficient funds in the treasury to meet the preliminary expenses of an election, and with the bright and cheerful prospects of the division getting financially on its feet, clear of debt, June 7, as stated by the secretary-treasurer in his last report, Mr. Elliott suddenly takes matters into his own hands and stops an election. Your prompt ruling as to whether he has that power delegated to him is respectfully asked. Yours very truly,

ARTHUR K. PECK.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The following Massachusetts pension changes resulting from the issue of October 23 are announced: Original: Charles F. Mills, Lynn, $6. Additional: George R. McIntyre, Lynn, $6 to $8. Original widows, etc.: Minors of Robert H. Duff, Walpole, $14; Francis Jones, Hancock, $8; Charlotte M. Powers, of Warren, $8.

SOMEWHAT BETTER.

Rev. Fr. McGrath, O. M. I., is feeling much better this morning, he having passed a very comfortable night.

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MR. QUA'S OPINION

On the Street Railway Franchise

ON FIRST AND OTHER STREET

The City Council's Power Not Entirely Gone

The opinion asked of City Solicitor Qua in the board of aldermen Tuesday night, as to the responsibility of the railway company in furnishing adequate transportation to the public, and the powers of the board of aldermen in revoking the company's franchise, has been submitted. The opinion in full is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor,
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 3.

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

In compliance with your request that I furnish in writing, to the board, a statement of the powers of the board of aldermen, under the existing laws, to remedy the evils complained of in the petition of William D. Brown et al., in which certain charges are made concerning the service of the Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company, and at the hearing on said petition, I submit the following:

Three specific charges against said railway company are set forth in said petition.

First: That some two years ago said company was granted a location in Fylat street from Bridge street to Ellewellyn street, and that within the past month said company has abandoned said location and ceased to run any cars over the same.

Second: That the city about a year ago expended a large sum of money in extending Beech street, upon the promise of said railway company that upon the completion of said street improvement it would apply for a location therein, and when granted, extend its tracks through said street, which promise has not been fulfilled.

Third. That for several months past the service of said railway company has been defective and insufficient and the cars unreasonably crowded, especially on the line between North Chelmsford and Lowell, and on the Bridge street line.

With respect to the first of said charges, prior to the general street railway act of 1893, the law furnished to the board of aldermen a complete and perfect remedy in section 23 of chapter 113 of the public statues, which read as follows:

"The board of aldermen or selectmen, at any time after the expiration of one year from the opening for use of a street railway in their city or town and after notice published as provided in section 21 and a hearing, if in their judgment the interests of the public so require, may order that the location of any track shall be revoked; and the company shall thereupon remove the same in conformity with such order, and shall put the street in as good condition as it was in immediately before being occupied by said track."

This statute was repealed by section 26 of chapter 578 of the acts of 1898, and the authority of the board of aldermen to revoke the location and cause the removal of the track of a street railway as existing at the present time is found in section 17 of the act last mentioned, in which the provisions of the statute quoted, are re-enacted, but very materially modified. Said section 17 reads as follows:

"The board of aldermen of a city or the selectmen of a town, after the expiration of one year from the opening for use of a street railway in their city or town, and after notice as provided in section 13 of this act and a hearing, if the public necessity and convenience in the use of the streets require, may for good and sufficient reasons to be stated in the order therefor, order that the location of any street railway in any highway or street shall be revoked; but no revocation of a location of a street railway shall be valid until approved by the board of railroad commissioners after public notice and hearing, unless the company consent thereto in writing within 30 days after such order of revocation. Upon revocation approved as aforesaid, the company shall remove the railway in conformity with the order of revocation, and shall put the portion of the surface of streets disturbed by such removal in as good condition as the adjacent surface of said streets. If the company neglects to execute such an order after 20 days' notice of such approval thereof, the board of aldermen or selectmen may cause the same to be executed and the work done at the expense of the company, to be recovered in an action of tort."

It will be seen from a comparison of the statutes above quoted that two changes are made by the later statute. In the first statute, the board of aldermen were authorized to revoke the location "if in their judgment the interests of the public so require." In the later statute the board is authorized to revoke "if the public necessity and convenience in the use of the streets require." And the order of revocation before taking effect must under the provisions of this later statute be approved by the board of railroad commissioners.

I am of the opinion, however, that the abandonment of the use of a location by a railroad company for the running of its cars is a sufficient reason for such revocation, and that if the charge as stated in the petition above referred to, is sustained, the railroad commissioners would approve an order revoking the location. As to the second charge or specification contained in the petition, I am of the opinion that the statutes do not furnish any remedy which can be applied by the board of aldermen. The board has no authority to compel a street railway company to secure a location or build its tracks in any street.

The third specification of complaint refers to the unreasonably crowded cars or lack of accommodations on certain lines of the Lowell & Suburban Street railway in Lowell. There are two provisions of the statute which are intended to remedy this evil. The first is section 3 of chapter 113 of the public statutes, which read as follows:

"Every street railway company shall furnish reasonable accommodations for the convenience of passengers, and for every wilful neglect to provide the same shall forfeit not less than five nor more than twenty dollars."

Of course the board of aldermen is not the proper tribunal to hear a complaint under this statute, nor can it impose the penalty provided therein. It appears to be a criminal statute, and any citizen may make complaint to the police court or may bring the matter to the attention of the district attorney, who will doubtless take such action as seems to him proper in the premises.

Another remedy provided by the law for the wrong complained of in the third specification of said petition, is contained in chapter 216 of the acts of 1891, section 1 of which is as follows:

"Whenever in the opinion of the railroad commissioners additional accommodations for the traveling public are required upon any street railway, they may, after due notice to the street railway company, and hearing thereon, make such order requiring additional accommodations to be provided as they think justice to all parties concerned requires, and they may alter, revoke and renew the same from time to time."

Although the board of aldermen is not mentioned in this statute, I see no reason why the board may not, by their petition bring the matter to the attention of the railroad commissioners, and I have no doubt the commissioners would grant a hearing thereon, and if at such hearing the facts stated in the petition were stablished they would make such order in the premises as would afford an adequate remedy.

Section 48 of chapter 112, authorizes the application to the railroad commissioners by the board of aldermen of a city for a revision and regulation of the fares established by a street railway company, and I see no reason why the board of aldermen may not with perfect propriety take the initiative in bringing before the railroad commissioners the failure of a street railway company to furnish sufficient accommodations to its passengers.

Section 29 of Chapter 113 of the public statutes may also be referred to in this connection. It provides as follows:

"The board of aldermen or selectmen may from time to time make such regulations as to the manner and extent of use of tracks and the number and routes of cars of any and all companies running over the same within their city or town, as the interest of public travel may require."

By section 63 of the same chapter and chapter 283 of the Acts of 1891, the supreme judicial court and the superior court are given jurisdiction to compel the observance of all laws governing street railway companies and of all orders, rules and regulations made in accordance therewith by the board of aldermen of a city or the selectmen of a town, or by the board of railroad commissioners, and to compel such observance upon the petition of the mayor and aldermen of any city or the selectmen of any town in which the street railway is located.

It will be seen that the language of section 29 above quoted is very broad and seems to give to the board of aldermen very important powers over street railways operated within the city. Whether, under this section, the board is authorized to prescribe the frequency with which cars shall be run on particular routes or require larger seating capacity and more accommodations within the cars themselves may perhaps be doubted. But it seems to me that it would be wise for the board to appoint a committee who should carefully examine the whole subject of street railway accommodations within the city and draft a set of regulations to be presented to the board under this chapter. Perhaps the extent of the supervision which the board may exercise over street railways could only be determined by a reference to the courts, but it seems to me that the adoption of such regulations would have a tendency to impress the officers of street railway companies with their responsibility to the municipal authorities and would certainly result in greatly improving the service.

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JAMES J. JEFFRIES, WHO MAINTAINED HIS PRESTIGE AS WORLD'S HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION IN HIS BATTLE WITH SHARKEY LAST NIGHT.

JEFFRIES WON.

(Continued from Page One.)

and jaw almost at will and there was a wild audience. As the fight went along, round by round, the sailor fought his way right into the hearts of those who marveled at Jeffries' capacity for punishment.

The Californian crouched low and though his eyes blazed he smiled and generally glanced at O'Rourke, who was coaching his man over the ropes. Sharkey's vicious punches began to tell and at the close of the seventh it seemed as though Jeffries could hardly walk to his corner, and it seemed certain there would be a new champion.

Sharkey's ear was split in the eighth, and it made him mad like a bull. He rushed, swinging lefts and rights and landed nearly all of them, with Jeffries throwing himself over the sailor. The Californian pushed his man over the ropes at every opportunity and in some of the rounds rested his great head on Sharkey's shoulder so much that he was hissed and jeered.

Jeffries landed a terrific uppercut in the 10th and Sharkey's eyelid was split. But in the 12th Sharkey got back with half a dozen left swings and a straight right and it was wonderful they did not end the fight. Jeffries hugged the sailor hard and shook his head as he went to his corner. Every round carried Sharkey across the ring at the start, and he was fighting the champion all over the canvas.

In the 15th Jeffries made a bluff at forcing, but Sharkey was at him again like a bulldog and swung high and low, and landed almost every time he swung. The Californian made little effort to lead. He preferred the defensive and he was winded. Sharkey, too, was tiring fast and they punched and swung and clinched and staggered all round the ring for the next few rounds.

The crowd shrieked from the sound of the gong to the close of each round. Both men were covered with blood and Jeffries was bleeding badly from his nose, which Sharkey's savage right had split. Suddenly in the 22nd, Jeffries seemed to take on new life. Just at the close of this round the champion swung right and left on Sharkey's jaw and Tom was almost taken off his feet. He reeled and the gong saved him. He came back hard, however in the next but Jeffries had the better of it, putting in two right uppercuts. Jeffries' friends howled themselves hoarse, while Sharkey's urged him on with loud cries to go in hard and rough it.

He threw down his terrier-like heat and though is strength was fast leaving him, he had Jeffries' gauge to the gong sound.

No one could say who would get in the knockout blow and neither seemed able if he landed, to put enough force into the blow to drop his man. In the midst of the 25th, nearly one minute before the close, Jeffries' glove flew across the ring and Siler ran to help him on with it. Sharkey held back until his friends yelled at him not to stop and it was a three-cornered fight for a few moments. The referee got Jeffries glove and tried to draw it on. This was difficult to do and then Sharkey rushed. Jeffries threw up his gloved and ungloved hand and with the former uppercut Sharkey. Siler ran between them and made a second attempt to assist Jeffries. The sailor waited a moment but wildly excited by the shrieks of the spectators, he rushed again. Siler dragged Jeffries away and the gong rang. The referee pointed to Jeffries' corner and his seconds and friends cheered wildly.

AFTER THE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3, 1899.—Sharkey in his dressing room immediately after the battle presented a most pitiable appearance. He was crying and his face bore many marks of punishment. His left eye was closed and badly puffed. His left ear was swollen and bleeding and the right side of his face was out of shape. Two ribs on his left side were broken and he was lying on a couch suffering great pain.

His defeat, though, seemed to bother him more than his injuries. He kept talking constantly of what he called the unfairness of Siler's decision, and said that he was honestly entitled to the winner's share of the stakes. He said that he believed he could defeat Jeffries and that all unprejudiced persons who saw the battle would admit that the worst he should have had was a draw.

Dr. Cramer, the club's physician, attended Sharkey after the battle and said that with the physical pain that Sharkey must have suffered he gave a wonderful exhibition of pluck. It was fully half an hour after the contest was ended before the sailor was able to dress and leave the clubhouse. He was so weak and suffered so much pain that he had to stop and rest several times before he got outside the door.

Except for a slight bruise on his nose, Jeffries showed no marks of punishment. He was as happy as a schoolboy over his victory and said that it had not been for the oppressive heat caused by the lights and the fact that his arm gave him a lot of pain in the seventh round, he would have knocked Sharkey out.

When asked about his plans for the future, or whether he would fight Sharkey again, he said he did not know. It was too early to talk about these affairs at present.

"In view of the fact," said Jeffries, "that I have already beaten Sharkey twice, I don't see why I should meet him again. I certainly clearly demonstrated my superiority over the sailor tonight and I think he is mighty lucky to have escaped a knockout.

Sharkey's friends roundly scored Referee Siler for his decision, firmly believing that a draw was the worst that Sharkey should have received. Tom O'Rourke swears that Siler will never do any more refereeing where he is concerned. No one however, questions Siler's honesty in the matter the blame being placed upon his judgment.

The fight by rounds will be found on Page 6.

THOUSANDS OUT

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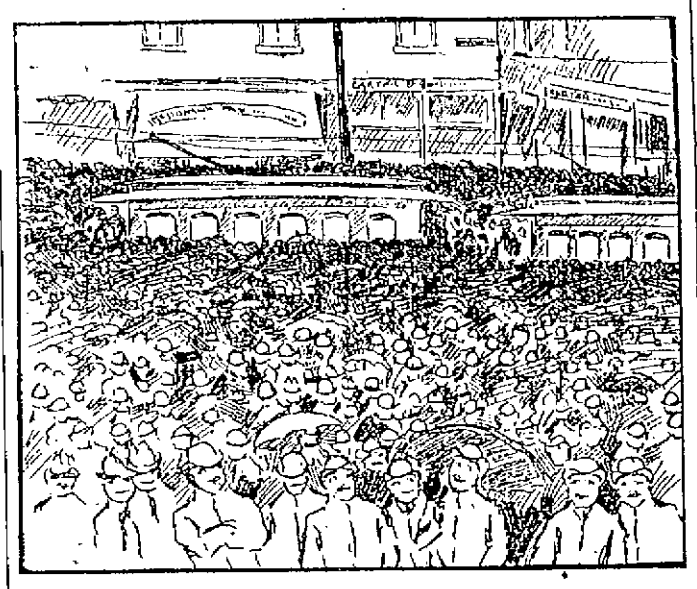
It was an immense gathering, and it began to get around as early as eight o'clock, although the fun didn't start until nearly 10 o'clock. At 9 o'clock, when the preliminary announcements were being made the square was choked with people and wagons could not get through, electric cars passing only with greatest difficulty. It was a Sharkey crowd throughout and every announcement favorable to the sailor was greeted with great cheering, while the boilermaker's friends were so few that they couldn't be heard until the finish when all cheered the winner.

The Sun spared no pains to give the public the quickest and most accurate and best service, and how well it succeeded the immense gathering which stood facing its windows for hours despite the efforts of our neighbor across the way to attract attention, can testify, as it did by its cheers for The Sun and jeers for its belated contemporary from time to time during the night.



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The Sun had its big megaphone in constant use, and its megaphone operators had been taking lessons in voice culture in anticipation of the event.

At the beginning The Sun announced the results from its lower office, but finding the arrangement unsatisfactory got its megaphone nearer the wire and soon remedied the fault and gave a running story of the big fight from start to finish which was later echoed across the street to the great amusement of the crowd which greeted the other megaphonist with cries of "Shut up," "You're dead slow up there," "Come around in the morning and tell us," etc., etc.

The Sun took such a lead on its contemporary at one stage of the game that the latter suspended operations temporarily, holding a council of war with itself.

When the silence across the street was noted The Sun's megaphonist cried out: "Have we silenced the enemy's guns so soon?"

"That's what you have," yelled back the crowd, "You're all right." "They ain't in it with you," etc.

When The Sun announced that Jeffries won, its competitor was dilating upon the 22d or 23d round and upon hearing The Sun's announcement the rival megaphone came to a dead stop in the middle of a round, and a few minutes later, noting perhaps The Sun bulletin in gigantic letters, came out again with "Jeffries Wins," while the crowd gave the announcement the laugh. After announcing the winner, The Sun continued its announcements to the call of time at the end of the 25th round.

It was an exciting time in Merrimack square, and The Sun, as usual, was equal to the occasion. They can all follow us, but The Sun leads, and if you can't take our word ask any one of the 5000 people who cheered The Sun's enterprise in Merrimack square last night.

We cannot see how anybody who reads the Citizen's statement about returns can ever believe anything that the paper says. It has given its untruthfulness and inability to compete with The Sun an advertisement that will long be remembered.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are making a special run on Thanksgiving Carvers. They are selling a fully warranted carver for 88c a pair, regular price $1.38.

FOUND—Recently, some money. Ask for McDonald, 772 Merrimack street.

THE CARPET MILLS

May Consolidate With Other Concerns

PLAN ARRANGED FOR DEAL

The Lowell Directors Favor the Plan

The stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company have received notice, advising them of a proposed consolidation of that company with the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by W. J. Whittall of Worcester. The terms proposed are seven shares of the new company's stock, par value $100, for one share of the Lowell company, par value $690.

The last sale of the Lowell company's stock was at 512½, or nearly $150 less than the par value of the stock.

The notice to the stockholders is in full as follows:

To the Stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing Company:

It has been suggested that the business heretofore conducted by the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that conducted by the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by M. J. Whittall of Worcester, can be united to the advantage of all the parties interested, owing to the large saving of expense if the business of all three concerns be conducted under one management, and owing to other important advantages.

For this purpose it is proposed that a new corporation be formed under the laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million and thirty thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the assets, both real and personal, of the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation assume and agree to pay the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks of the Bigelow Carpet company, together with an amount of its quick assets equivalent to one million dollars in value, and that such new corporation purchase for four hundred and seventy thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value) the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks used by M. J. Whittall in his business of carpet manufacturing at Worcester and Palmer, together with seventy thousand dollars in value of the personal property of said Whittall used by him in said business.

This plan is the result of long and careful consideration and discussion, and in the proposed combination there is nothing whatever to be paid for commission or promoters' fee. The total capital stock is to be $4,600,000.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company has been called to act upon the proposal to sell all the assets of the corporation upon the terms stated.

By this sale the stockholders in the Lowell Manufacturing company will receive seven shares of stock in such new corporation, of the par value of one hundred dollars each, for each share of stock in the Lowell Manufacturing company held by them.

It is then proposed to wind up the Lowell Manufacturing company, close its concerns, and take legal steps necessary to procure its dissolution.

The directors unanimously advise the stockholders to vote in favor of the proposed plan.

It is essential that a majority of the stock be represented at the meeting, and it is very desirable that all stockholders be represented.

If you are in favor of a sale of the assets of this company upon the terms stated and are unable to be present at the meeting, please sign and return promptly the enclosed proxy, which will be voted in favor of the proposed sale; and the revenue stamp required by law will be affixed and cancelled before using the proxy.

S. LOTHROP THORNDIKE,
ISRAEL G. WHITNEY,
AUGUSTUS LOWELL,
JOHN HOGG,
GEORGE F. RICHARDSON,
JACOB ROGERS,
ARTHUR T. LYMAN,
Directors of the Lowell Manufacturing Company.

The many friends of Mr. John Murphy of West Third street, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. will regret to learn that he left the city Wednesday for California, on account of ill health. His friends wish him a safe journey and a rapid return of health.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought.
Chas. H. Fletcher.

Beecham's pills for constipation 10¢ and 25¢. Get the book at your druggist's and go by it.

Annual sales more than 6,000,000 boxes.

HARVARD-U. OF P.

Two of the Big Four Meet Today

HARVARD FILLED WITH CONFIDENCE

Big Crowd Out to See the Game

Today two elevens of the "Big Four" clash for the first time this year. Harvard will play the University of Pennsylvania eleven on Franklin Field in Philadelphia.

All the traditions of football point to a victory for Harvard and, if by any chance, or any exhibition of good play, Pennsylvania should win or even tie the score, football prophets will feel like packing their belongings into a carpet bag and removing themselves from the sight of man.

Pennsylvania's career this fall has not been one of glittering victories with plenty of lime light and red fire on the side. The eleven has wandered upon a path of thorns hedged in by barb wire fences, and whichever way the players turn they are jabbed by the goads of criticism.

This year Pennsylvania not only has lost games, but has lost to one of its bitterest foes, and has been scored against by colleges that were child's play for the red and blue before.

From the beginning of the season Harvard has played excellent football. The hardest game that the college has had was with the Indians. Although Carlisle scored against the Crimson the Cambridge men profess to be satisfied with the work of their men and are quite confident that they will beat the Quakers today.

Coach Woodruff has kept the Pennsylvania players on the jump since the training season began. Some of them have played two or three different positions. Men, who were drilled in past years to guard the line, have been suddenly shifted to places back of the line, and other players, who knew well how to play certain line positions, have been moved into other places.

Most of the critics outside of Philadelphia are of opinion that the absence of a settled policy regarding the eleven has worked to Pennsylvania's disadvantage. Why shouldn't that be the case? It is a good player who can be tackle one year, guard another and half back a third.

Harvard men are playing mostly in the positions that they occupied last year. Wherever a new man needed to be substituted it was only for the reason that some player of the eleven of 1899 had graduated. The moment that the Harvard eleven's season of coaching began a fixed plan was adopted, and it has been pursued almost without deviation since the beginning of the year.

Granting that Harvard's chances to win seem far brighter than those of Pennsylvania, it is safe to assume that the Pennsylvania eleven will play better football than it has been playing since the beginning of the season. The game at Chicago last Saturday showed that beyond all question Chicago is a strong eleven, so strong, in fact, that it really should have scored more times against the Quakers had it not been for the unexpectedly strong defensive play put up by the Pennsylvania men.

This defensive play should be improved during the present week, and when the crimson eleven meets the Quakers today, it will be decidedly astonishing to those who have given the evolution of football a study if the Pennsylvania players do not make Harvard's path a stormy one.

Possibly Pennsylvania will score. Once the heavy men on the Quaker line get thoroughly in earnest and in full motion, with that wonderful ability of theirs to push their weight through almost any kind of opposition in the shape of flesh and blood, it generally means that all is over for the players on the other side. Quietly a few wagers have been made in New York on the game. It is needless to say that even the most enthusiastic of Pennsylvania's graduates have not been ready to wager that their eleven will win, but many of them have enough confidence left in their old alma mater to defy Harvard men by betting that Pennsylvania will score. Even that bet to some seems to be the expression of forlorn hope rather than real indication of genuine assurance in the eleven.

There is a big demand for choice seats for the Columbia-Cornell game in New York on Tuesday next. It is believed that the undergraduates and alumni will turn out in larger numbers than ever before in order to give an ovation to the Columbia eleven and to encourage the players in their struggle with the powerful Ithacans. The fact that the two teams which defeated Yale and Princeton by the same score on the same day are to fight for supremacy on Columbia Field next Tuesday is sufficient notice to football enthusiasts that a battle royal is in store for them. While Coach Sanford makes no announcements, he will probably meet Cornell with the team that beat Yale without a change. It looks like a case of even money on the result and make your own selection.

There is a feeling among the members of the Columbia 'Varsity players that Yale will defeat Princeton on November 25th, at New Haven. The Columbia men say that Yale has the material for a fine eleven and they expect the coaches to pound it into winning form. Slocovitch, of the Columbia team, who is a former Yale 'varsity man, says that Yale might surprise Harvard. He calls attention to the fact that in 1897 Yale's team was generally berated for playing a draw with West Point and that disaster was predicted for the Blue. After that, however, Yale played Harvard at Cambridge 0—0, and then beat Princeton's stars 5—0 at New Haven. Slocovitch believes that the Yale eleven this fall can be made a winner by good training and constant coaching. As a betting proposition, Yale will have plenty of supporters when the Tigers line up at New Haven.

DEATHS.

McCLARY—Julia A. McClary, aged 41 years, wife of Daniel McClary, died yesterday at her late home, 129 Paige street.

PEARSON—John Pearson, aged 48 years died this morning at his late home, 257 Fayette street. Deceased was employed in the Merrimack Print Works for the past twelve years and was a devout member of the Immaculate Conception church. Besides a wife Mary, he is survived by six children, Mrs. James Hanlan, Mrs. Thomas Leeson, Mrs. Samuel Mullin, Miss Sarah Pearson and James and John Pearson. The funeral will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception church.

You can order the best coal by telephoning 713-2, D. T. Sullivan, or send postal card to 954 Gorham street.

The housewife keeps, with greatest care,
Her dainty glass and linen fair,
Her china and her tableware,
As sweet as she is able;
And Ivory Soap's her greatest aid,
Because 'tis pure and cleanly made
Of things which none need be afraid
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NO INCREASE YET

Decision of the Fall River Mill Men

ON THE DEMAND FOR HIGHER WAGES

The Operatives Not Left Without Hope

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 4.—The hopes of Fall River's mill population were dashed to the ground late yesterday as a result of the special meeting of the Fall River cotton manufacturers' association, called to consider the demand for an increase of 10 per cent, made by their employes through the textile council at the conference held last Monday with a special committee of the manufacturers' association.

The manufacturers voted not to grant the increase at the present time, tempering it, however with the statement that should the market conditions warrant it, an increase may be granted later.

The manufacturers, at the conclusion of the meeting, gave out the following vote, which was passed just before its conclusion:

"Voted—That it is the sense of the meeting that an advance of wages at this time is inexpedient, in view of the fact that the margin between the cost of print cloths is no more than it was when the advance of 12½ per cent of April last was made and the present scale of wages adopted.

"Should business improve so that the margin of profit will warrant it, an advance of wages will be made but we believe that any advance at the present time would be premature."

The special committee which met the textile council in conference was also given power to prepare a sliding scale of wages. An attempt had previously been made to establish such a system, but the committee having the matter in charge failed to report it.

Among the operatives the general feeling was one of disappointment but some of them looked upon the implied promise of an increase later as a hopeful sign. These mill workers, however, have the utmost faith in their leaders, and most of them are confident that they will ultimately gain the increase asked for.

Rep. Rounseville of the Manufacturers' association will probably mail the formal notification of the manufacturers' decision to Sec. Whitehead of the textile council, and a meeting of that body will be called probably for Saturday evening.

SHE QUIT COFFEE

And Got Well in Common Sense Way.

"When I left off coffee, it seemed that was the thing hardest to drop. I had been put on a diet for stomach trouble, had a good appetite but no food would stay on my stomach. I was compelled to leave off one thing after another but never suspected coffee. When I decided to leave off the coffee, however, my stomach trouble ceased entirely, also my nervousness and I can again sleep well. But a new trouble then arose. How was I to get along without my coffee? It was a great temptation when I saw it on the table in the morning. One day a friend who knew of my case sent me a package of Postum Cereal Food Coffee. After it had been prepared, I had great misgivings about using it, for it looked so much like fine coffee that I feared it would have the same effect, but I soon found it to be free from all injurious properties and its use has been of great benefit to me.

"I have never had any taste for coffee since using the Postum Cereal Food Coffee. My children derive great benefit from using Postum. We all enjoy it very much, having discarded the old-fashioned coffee entirely."—Alice Lawrence, Bowen, Mont.

Postum Food Coffee is sold by all first class grocers at 15 and 25 cents per package.

CONSUMPTION

To the Editor—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., No. 183 Pearl Street, New York.

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POLICE COURT

BRIEF SESSION THIS MORNING.

The session of police court this morning was quite brief. Judge Hadley was on the bench and only one drunk was arraigned. He was a simple offender and was discharged by the court.

James Hankins was found guilty of assault and battery on his wife and was found guilty and ordered to recognize in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months.

The case of Christina Antimonia, charged with illegal keeping and illegal sale of liquor, was again continued at the request of counsel for the defense. The case will come up again Monday.

The liquor case against John B. Marston and Lizzie M. Marston of Tewksbury was put over till Tuesday next.

Big reduction in Eastman Kodak Company's Cameras. See the Thompson Hardware Company's advertisement.

If you are going to build or alter your building, and want masons' supplies, W. H. Livingston can furnish you with the best of stock at low prices.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

Stomach, Liver or Kidneys,

If there is why don't you try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters? It has cured others—why not you? A dose three times a day will give you new life.

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And of course it is quite necessary to have a supply of sweet bread for these occasion, and Peter Watson's, the king baker of the city, is the place to get your Bakery Supplies. There is none better in the city than you can get at

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THURSDAY, Nov. 16,

AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

Administratrix sale of the beautiful McCartin residence, house, barn and about 7800 square feet of land at No 71 Dover street.

In order to settle up the estate of my late husband, I will positively sell at public auction on the day advertised, rain or shine, the residence which I now occupy at 71 Dover street. I am perfectly aware of the dull market in real estate, and being so late in the fall, I will have to be content with the price it will bring. I have two reasons for selling the above property, one to settle up the estate; and the other, as there is no one in family but myself, the house is too large, and under these circumstances the property will be sold for just what it will bring, on the day advertised for sale. The house is a two and one-half story structure of ten rooms, bath, small ell, unfinished attic, and an extra good cellar, divided as follows: Parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, pantry, and small ell with refrigerator on first floor; five beautiful and comfortable sleeping rooms and bath on second floor. It is a very convenient house, heated by steam, set tubs, hot and cold water, electric bells, and is in good repair inside and out. The barn is practically new, being built by Mr. McCartin. It contains one single stall, one box stall, a nice harness closet, carriage room for four carriages, and is all concreted, the lower part of the barn is sheathed and stained and makes a very fine place; also a large loft with good room for storage of sleighs, etc., and in fact is a model barn in every respect.

The lot has a frontage of about 66 feet on Dover street and an extreme depth of about 118 feet, making an area of about 7800 square feet, and is all nicely fenced in, has concrete driveway and walks, and a beautiful hedge of evergreen on the curve of the driveway makes a very nice appearance from the street. There is a splendid lawn with its trees and shrubbery, and this land being high, makes it one of the choice lots of the Highlands.

Location is certainly one of the very best in our city. Dover street is located between Branch and Westford streets, and just far enough away to be free from the noise and dust, and still be within two minutes' walk from the Westford or Branch street lines, right in a location with many of our best business men and in the vicinity of many costly residences. It is convenient to schools and churches and is but a short walk to the depot or post office. With the many advantages this property possesses, it should certainly interest some business man who is looking for a desirable and profitable home, for this is an opportunity seldom offered at public auction.

For further information call on the auctioneer, who will be pleased to show you the premises.

Terms, $500 to be paid at time and place of sale. By order of KATE McCARTIN, Administratrix of the state of Frank McCartin.

DANIEL J. DONAHUE, Attorney.

TUESDAY, Nov. 14.

The Personal Property of J. P. Coburn, Tyngsboro, Mass., Cows, Horses, Wagons, Hay Fodder, Lumber, Hens, Harnesses, Furniture and Farming Tools, commencing at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, Nov. 17.

At 10 o'clock a. m. the printing plant of Barnes & Co., call at the office of the auctioneer for a catalogue.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Of the real estate and personal property of the late Charles A. Kimball, Tyngsboro, Mass., Monday, Nov. 20, commencing at 9.30 o'clock. See advertisement later.

SPECIAL.

At our regular sale Saturday, Nov. 11, at 11 o'clock, three very fine family horses, one depot wagon almost new, one Goddard buggy, and one open buggy. This lot comes from a well known private family and will be sold for just what they will bring. Call and see them.

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THE AFRICAN SITUATION.

The situation in South Africa is very embarrassing to England at the present time as Ladysmith is isolated, while the Boers can shell it into surrender from the surrounding hills. Therefore General White's capitulation with his entire army is a foregone conclusion; while Kimberley is surrounded by the valiant Boers and liable to fall at any moment with Colenso, the base of retreat from Ladysmith cut off. In addition to all these adverse conditions the Zulus are rising against their old enemies, the British; the Dutch of Bechuanaland and Griqualand are also ready to join the ranks of the Boers. In fact, there is at present great danger of a general uprising of all the South African states against England.

If the Boers capture Ladysmith and Kimberley with the troops stationed at both places, they will be ready to meet and defeat the biggest army England can send there as soon as it arrives. Thus one army after another can be annihilated as fast as they arrive until England comes to terms and acknowledges her defeat. Any such outcome of the war would result in the establishment of a republic comprising all the South African states and Paul Kruger would be hailed as the Father of His Country, while General Joubert would be honored as the foremost hero of the land.

Ex-Rep. Fred Rourke served two years in the legislature, during which he proved himself one of the straightest democrats that ever sat in the house. A special effort should be made to elect such a man. The same can be said of Lieut. Quigley, who served so honorably last year as representative of the 25th district. Although Mr. McNabb, the other nominee has never been in the legislature, he is a most deserving candidate and should receive with the two mentioned the full democratic vote. Watson and McKinley, the poor farm trickster and trader, should be elected to stay at home and for Robbins the republicans of the Lowell end of the district don't intend to send him to the legislature. That is one reason why the three democratic candidates feel so confident.

Representative Ames managed to draw two salaries last year, one from the state as representative and one from the nation as a soldier. That is practically what General Wheeler was criticized for, although they were federal offices he held. Can an ordinary man fill two offices acceptably at the same time or is there such a scarcity of men that it is necessary to have any one man hold two offices? The Lowell republicans of the 27th district will cut the unknown from Carlisle as they cut Farmer last year in their effort to make Ames high man. Watch the returns and see if this statement does not prove true.

Professor McVane of Harvard is quoted as saying that the Boers have actually no idea of civilization. Some of these college professors show more impenetrable asininity to the square inch than do the most wooden-headed lot of Indians on the American continent. No better proof of the civilization of the Boers need be sought than a statement in Gen. White's despatches which read as follows:

"Gen. Joubert at once despatched a letter to me offering a safe conduct to doctors and ambulances to remove the wounded."

And now Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin gets a loving cup from Mr. Shuman of Boston. The lord mayor, however, is not looking for gifts or honor for himself. He is here in aid of the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the late Charles Stewart Parnell, and to raise funds sufficient to free his estate from debt, an object upon the propriety of which there is a great diversity of opinion among the friends of Ireland.

Rep. Watson's legislative record is not one that can be commended by republicans, much less by democrats. On many of the important questions he was absent, but on every matter involving the interests of labor he managed to be present that he might vote in the negative. His record in this respect accords well with his action in helping Mr. Ramsay to rob Chelmsford republicans of their apportionment.

City Solicitor Quin does not seem to be sure whether the city has any power over the use or disuse of the first street car line. It is difficult to tell from the lengthy opinion he has submitted just what he does think in regard to the matter. The aldermen will probably call upon him for his opinion upon the opinion he has just given out on the matter.

A rather comical incident occurred at the Parnell memorial meeting in Boston. One of the inscriptions over the stage was a quotation from Wendell Phillips to the effect that "Parnell made John Bull listen." By a misarrangement of the letters in the last word it read "silent."

That new landshark that bought up the corporation property started off by raising rents. Perhaps he thinks that he can get higher rents than were paid to the corporations. He may succeed in collecting them until the tenants look up new quarters, but no longer.

The American style of boxing by some is considered bad enough, but the French style, in which the contestants are allowed to work in a kick whenever they can, should be banished beyond the lines of civilization.

Collinsville is to be pitied in having so many cases of typhoid fever. It is due to the impurity of the water used. The germs of the disease will remain for years unless the usual precautions are taken to eradicate the disease completely.

The battle of the giants is over and some of the sports have lost their money. Still this will not deter them from betting on the next fight. Jeffries had the hardest fight of his life.

Gen. Funston says the war in the Philippines will be ended next year. Some people think it would be ended this year had this happened to be the year of the presidential election.

Mr. Bryan is making a noble fight for victory in Ohio. If McLean be beaten at the polls it will be because of the enemies he has made through his newspaper.

We rather surmise that Collins will knock out Murphy in the first round in the fight for the championship in Boston.

Get ready to vote the straight democratic ticket on next Tuesday.

THE LEATHER TRUST.

The American Hide and Leather company, the company which secured the M. Robson leather company of this city has issued its first prospectus, says the Salem News.

The corporation is a combination of about 25 independent companies and firms, with plants in various parts of the country.

The total authorized capital stock is $11,000,000, of which half is seven per cent. cumulative stock, and the remainder common stock. In addition to the stock the company has issued $6,000,000 six per cent. first mortgage bonds.

It is understood that the various plants that have entered the combination received stock to the amount of one-half the agreed price of the plant, and a bond for the remainder, the bond not to be placed on the market or publicly negotiated until after a year from the date of the forming of the combination. The proprietors of the plants that entered the combine, and which are kept in operation, are to receive liberal salaries to manage their respective factories or plants.

LADIES' GYMNASIUM CLASS.

The ladies' class of physical culture at the Young Women's Christian association will be organized on next Tuesday evening, the 7th at 7.30 o'clock. The work for this season will be in charge of Mrs. H. L. Dietz, wife of Mr. Dietz, of the local Young Men's Christian association. Mrs. Dietz is well qualified to conduct these classes, having had several years of experience in assisting Dr. Dietz with his work of the ladies' class at the San Francisco Y. M. C. A.

As a basket ball player, Mrs. Dietz has few equals, having played right forward for the ladies' team of San Francisco for two years and at the same time acting in the capacity of manager.

Only the lighter class of work will be attempted in this department and suited to meet the demands of those participating.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Mr. Alexander Charette, of Gershom avenue, father of George Charette of the Merrimac's crew, has received a letter stating that his son, Thomas was seriously injured a few days ago in an accident in Connecticut, and one of his legs had to be amputated.

TESTIMONIAL DANCE.

A testimonial dance was given John Hancock last night and the affair proved a huge success. About 200 couples attended. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, the Middlesex orchestra furnishing music. The following officers had charge: General manager, John H. Spillane; assistant, Fred Cronin; floor director, Bernard Lynch; assistant, William J. Quinlan; aids, Timothy Fitzgerald, Thomas Kearney, Richard Murphy, James Heerson, James Murphy, John Hyde, James Hyde and Jerry Danahy; secretary, Patrick Harrington, J. J. Shanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tonk of Richmond, P. Q., who have been visiting at the home of E. K. McIlanvran in Arlington street, return to their Canadian home to day.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Over the Remains of Bishop Neeley

MANY CLERGYMEN WERE PRESENT

The Interment Was in Evergreen Cemetery

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 4.—The funeral of Bishop Neeley was held yesterday afternoon in St. Luke's Cathedral, in the presence of a great number of members of the church and friends of the deceased. A large number of visiting clergy were present and almost every clergyman in Maine was there.

The body was enclosed in a solid oak casket and the inscription on the plate was as follows:

"Henry Adams Neely, D. D.,
Second Bishop of Maine,
Died on the eve of All Saints' Day, 1899.
Aged 49 years and 5 months."

The casket was covered with flowers and rested in the chancel. The throne of the bishop was draped in black.

Among the visiting clergy were the following:

Bishop Lawrence, Massachusetts; Bishop McVickar, Rhode Island; Bishop Niles of New Hampshire; Bishop Hall, Vermont; and Bishop Brewster of Connecticut; Rev. Dr. W. Hugh Ketchum of St. Andrews', N. H.; Rev. Melville McLaughlin of New Brunswick; Rev. J. G. Foster, Rev. L. B. Storrs, and Rev. Charles L. Hutchinson of Massachusetts; Rev. F. S. Sills and Rev. C. W. Hayes of New York, and Rev. C. W. Ogden of Pennsylvania.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning the holy communion was again celebrated by Bishop Niles.

The body, which lay in state Thursday evening, in front of the altar, was removed by the clergy to the chancel and there three clergy watched by it all night.

The funeral service took place at 12.30 o'clock yesterday noon and was the regular service of the church intended for such occasions.

The procession was formed with the vested choir in front, followed by the Maine clergy. Then came the visiting clergy and Rev. Huston Sawyer, bearing the pastoral staff of the late bishop. The honorary canons of the cathedral came next and then the Very Rev. Dr. Charles M. Sills, Dean of the Cathedral. The bishops were next and then the pall bearers, consisting of the young clergy, as follows:

Rev. Harry Hudson, Rev. A. B. Patineau, Rev. G. B. Nicholson, Rev. John R. Norwood, Rev. T. E. Calvert, Rev. I. C. Foster, Rev. Arthur Stewart and Rev. L. E. B. W. Fowler.

Rev. Dr. Sills read the opening sentences and Psalms, Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, the lessons, and Bishop Hall of Vermont the prayer.

At Evergreen cemetery the burial service was read by Bishop Niles.

There were many carriages at the grave, most of the clergy present going to the last resting place of the bishop.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

TO BE OBSERVED BY THE BURKES TOMORROW.

Last evening an adjourned meeting of the Burke Temperance Institute was held and twenty-six new members were admitted. Arrangements were completed for the observance of Memorial Sunday tomorrow when the society will hold special services commemorative of deceased members.

The cemetery will be visited and services held at the grave of ex-president Michael E. Sexton. Again at the hall in the evening at 8 o'clock when a literary and musical entertainment will be given. The address of the evening will be delivered by Mr. John H. Harrington while Miss Adelaide E. Sullivan, Miss Margaret McCaffrey, James E. Donnelly and Austin Ball will sing. The ushers appointed for the evening are Messrs. Frederick Smith, chief; John Keegan, William Gleason, Thomas Walsh and Charles Gallagher. The public is cordially invited to be present at the evening exercises. The program will conclude with remarks by Mr. E. J. Slattery.

Robert Lindsay, the new physical instructor, will be at the gymnasium every Monday and Friday evening until further notice.

John W. McEvoy, Esq., will lecture on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21.

CAKE WALK

PRIZE AWARDED TO THOMAS McHENRY AND MISS BULLIS.

A dance and championship cake walk was held last evening at Associate Hall under the auspices of the Tribune club and proved a complete success in every way. One of the largest crowds of the season was present during the evening.

The feature of the evening, of course, was the championship cake walk which commenced promptly at 10 o'clock. The contestants were George Harper and Miss Patrick; John Martin and Miss Viola Dupont; Mr. Harvey Chandler and Miss Gaudette of Nashua; Thomas McHenry and Miss Jennie Bullis (colored), Thomas Armstrong and Miss Fay.

It was an interesting contest and all of the walkers gave a fine exhibition and were liberally applauded. The judges were: Harry Meklejohn, Fred Rogers, Joseph Fitzgerald, Thomas Conners and R. Borrison of Nashua and Joseph Finerman acted in the capacity of master of ceremonies.

The judges retired after the walk was over and after a brief session declared Mr. McHenry and Miss Bullis the winners. The contest was for a prize of $10 and the championship of the Merrimack valley.

Fred H. Harrington was general manager of the dance and was assisted by H. Kahlberg. Dancing was resumed after the cake walk.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Taggart from Burlington, Vt., are guests of Mr. H. B. Huse of Beacon street. Their friends will be interested to know that they sail next week for Dresden, Germany, where they intend to reside, the doctor having become associated in business with one of the leading American dentists of that place.

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WEDENSDAY, Oct. 8th.

The first annual dispersal sale of Trotting Stock, Trotting Bred Road Horses, Gentlemen's Driving Horses, and Family Horses at the Lookout Farm promptly at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon regardless of weather or attendance. Thirty head will be offered and sold no matter what is bid for them.

The sale will include Gurgles Boy (4) 2.15 1-4; Bermuda Wilkes (3), 2.21 1-4; trial 2.18 on half mile track; Nelson Allin, 2.24 1-4, trial 2.14 1-4; Daisy C., 2.25; Nordhoff, 2.29 1-2, trial 2.20 this year; Silvered, full brother to Gurgles Boy, (3), 2.18 3-4; Speaker Reed, by May King, the sire of Bingen, 2.06 1-4; also the Nelson Wilkes (Nelson's), Aegon, Bermuda, Stamboula, Sir Walter, Jr., Edgemark and Constantine.

With one exception the youngest animal to be sold is past three years of age. Nearly all are good size; all are excellent color; every one is perfectly broken, has good manners; there are many elegant road horses; all have some very fast brush horses; all have more or less action and a few have extreme action. As a matter of fact the sale presents a lot of high class and fashionable horses. You can see, examine and ride after them any time during the day on the Monday or Tuesday preceding the day of sale.

Should the day selected for the sale prove unpleasant or stormy there is ample room in the immense barns for the sale to take place under cover. Barges will meet the 9.30, 10.32, and 1 o'clock trains via B. & A. R. R. from the new South Terminal Station in Boston, at Wellesley, to take all passengers to the farm who may care to attend the sale. Barges will also meet the passengers from the electric cars in the square at So. Natick up to 1 o'clock noon, the day of sale. The term will be cash or satisfactorily endorsed bankable paper. Send to the office of of the auctioneers by mail or otherwise for descriptive catalogue.

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Any little bowel trouble will bring them on; any extra exertion as in lifting will produce them; and in fact they will often appear without any apparent provocation. Piles, however, are much more serious than a cold, as the tendency is always to grow worse until the trouble becomes deep seated and chronic or develops into some fatal rectal disease.

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EXCISE TAX

LOWELL & SUBURBAN TO PAY CITY $1610.29 ON ITS BUSINESS.

According to chapter 578 of the acts and resolves of 1898, all railway companies are subject to an excise tax in accordance with the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts in addition to their other and regular taxes.

Each year beginning this year, all companies in the state are called upon to render to the assessors a report before Oct. 15, giving the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts and in accordance with this provision both the Lowell and Suburban and Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill have submitted their reports and the amount of the tax has been computed.

The law and all its bearings is a long one but below is enough to show its relations to the city of Lowell.

Section 6. Every street railway company shall on or before the 15th day of October in each year make and file in the office of the board of assessors of every city and town in which any portion of the railway operated by it is situated, a return signed and sworn to by its president and treasurer stating the length of track operated by it in public ways in such city or town and also the total length of track operated by it in public ways, determined as provided in section two of this act, and also the amount of its gross receipts during the year ending on the 30th day of September next preceding, which gross receipts shall include all amounts received by it from the operation of its railway but shall not include income derived from sale of power, rental of tracks or other sources.

Section 7 provides that the assessors shall on receiving the report of the railway company, assess before the first day of November on each railway company operating in the city thus an excise tax. In the case of companies whose gross receipts per mile of track operated both in and out of the city are $1000 or less, the tax shall be 1 per cent. of the total annual gross receipts; in case the gross receipts are $1000 and less than $7000, 2 per cent. of the gross receipts; in case the receipts are $7000 and less than $14,000, 2 1-4 per cent.; and when $14,000 and less than $21,000, 2 1-2 per cent.; $21,000 and less than $28,000, 2 3-4 per cent; and $28,000 or more, 3 per cent of the total annual gross receipts.

These excise taxes shall be in addition to the taxes now provided by law.

Section 9 provides for the notification of the collector of taxes by the assessors as to the amount of the tax on the company or companies and on the notification of the treasurer of the company by the collector of taxes, the excise tax levied becomes due within 30 days.

According to the figures made out by the assessors the Lowell and Suburban company's tax will be $1610.29 and the tax of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill, $221.80. The former road's gross earnings for the year are between $1000 and $7000. So the tax is at the rate of 2 per cent. The L. L. & H. gross receipts per mile are between $7000 and $15,000 and the tax is accordingly 2 1-4 per cent., the small mileage within the city limits, reaching as it does only from Merrimack Square to the Dracut line, accounting for the smallness of the tax compared with the Lowell & Suburban's.

The tax goes entirely to the city or town within whose limits it is levied.

THE TRANSVAAL

LECTURE ON TIMELY TOPIC TOMORROW EVENING.

The lecture on the Transvaal in Y. M. C. I. hall, Stackpole street tomorrow evening promises to be a highly entertaining one, in view of the fact that the eyes of the world are now turned upon that heretofore unknown country. The lecturer will be Rev. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., a former missionary in the Transvaal and Orange Free State and one of the few men in this country who is familiar with the place, its people, their life, manners, customs and government. As the admission is only 25 cents it will be well to get there early. The Y. M. C. I. is to be congratulated for its enterprise in getting so distinguished a lecturer upon so timely a topic.

Y. M. C. I. BOWLING.

The Y. M. C. I. is to have a big bowling tournament at its alleys beginning one week from Monday. Eight teams are entered already and a good time is expected.

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DEWEY'S WEDDING

Will Take Place on Thanksgiving Day

ARCHBISHOP KEANE TO OFFICIATE

He May Now Run for President

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen will be married on Thanksgiving Day. This is the prediction now made by intimate friends and as neither will deny the rumor, it is believed that the lack of contradiction is corroboration of the statement. Thanksgiving is par excellence the American wedding day and as both the bride and groom-to-be are staunch patriots, it seems eminently proper for them to join their lives on this day.

Archbishop Keane, it is said, will officiate at the ceremony. It was the archbishop who when rector of the Catholic University here, received Mrs. Hazen into the Catholic church and as long as he remained here he acted as her confessor and adviser. A special dispensation from Rome will probably be secured to allow the ceremony to be performed at St. Matthew's church. As the admiral is not a Catholic, the service could not be performed in the church without papal sanction.

Immediately after the wedding, it is said, Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will make an extended tour. Their honeymoon will take in a number of cities that have sent pressing invitations to the national hero, which up to the present he has been unable to accept.

THE MOST CHARMING WOMAN.

Mrs. Mildred Hazen, whom Admiral Dewey has called the most charming woman in the world, is 43 years old. She is not tall but has a very fine figure. A dead-brunette she has a clear, rosy complexion, blue eyes and dark hair tinged with gray which she wears rolled high from her forehead. Her manner is vivacious and she has a very keen sense of humor. She is at her best when she tells a witty story. Although unassuming, the admiral's bride to be has much strength of character.

The wedding without doubt will be as brilliant as the high position of the admiral and the wealth and social prestige of Mrs. Hazen lead society to expect.

Col. Archibald Hopkins, who is the author of the poem toasting the admiral and which was read at a recent dinner, said in substance yesterday that Admiral Dewey would be willing to accept the republican nomination for president.

Col. Hopkins explained that he knew the admiral's dislike for politics and that on several occasions the latter expressed his distaste to a possible nomination for the presidency. The colonel said he felt satisfied, however, that if Ohio went democratic this fall, and other critical states did the same, and that it should appear that the republican party was in danger of defeat in the national election next year, Admiral Dewey would accept the nomination of the republican party if it were tendered him. Colonel Hopkins is one of Admiral Dewey's closest friends. Indeed he may be said to rank as the admiral's chief friend. Therefore it is natural that his statement should have aroused no end of comment and interest.

It is significant in view of Senator Proctor's alleged purpose to draw the admiral forth as the republican party's emergency presidential candidate. The senator has denied that he has any such purpose in view, but the politicians think the denial is purely Pickwickian and that Senator Proctor has the desire at least and the purpose if possible, to do this very thing.

The matter is interesting from the fact that the admiral's impending marriage is expected to exert an influence upon him in favor of a political life, for Mrs. Hazen is experienced in social and political Washington and is credited with the loftiest ambitions.

DEWEY'S SURRENDER.

Put up the gun and clanging sword,
Which such a famous victory scored,
And stop the cheers of shouting horde
In patriot hearts engendered!
Furl tight the flag which put to shame
The Spanish host and brought him fame,
For Dewey has surrendered!

Far deadlier than the shells he sent,
Was Cupid's shaft, upon him bent,
And youthful hope and discontent
That tiny dart engendered.
The Spaniards' screaming shot and shell,
The smiling hero missed. Ah, well,
When Cupid's arrow struck, he fell
And Fame to Love surrendered!
—Willis Leonard Clanahan.

DEWEY'S CHINESE VALET.

Admiral Dewey is worried over the prospect of losing his Chinese valet. The boy has been with him for many months, and has made himself almost invaluable to the hero of Manila. When the admiral came home he brought this Chinese boy with him and still has him in his service but under the laws of this country, as he is a Chinese, he cannot remain here more than six months, and now that the admiral has settled in his home, he is asking:

"What is to become of this gallant little Chinese boy?"

The other day when the delegation from Tennessee visited the admiral and asked him to go south, the admiral took occasion to ask Congressman Gaines, who was a member of the committee the question which seems to be worrying him. Admiral Dewey had just announced to his visitors the fact of his engagement to Mrs. Hazen, but in his own happiness he did not forget that of his faithful Chinese valet. He sent for the boy and when he arrived, Admiral Dewey turned to Representative Gaines and said he hoped congress would permit him to keep this gallant little Chinese boy in this country. He then explained the law in regard to the Chinese and expressed his anxiety for the future of the boy.

Continuing, he said: "This boy has a medal for gallantry for having served in the American navy and he wants to remain in this country, but under the present ruling of the law, he cannot remain here over six months."

Mr. Gaines immediately said that he would offer a resolution in the house as soon as congress met, making provision whereby this little Chinese could remain in the United States permanently. This seemed to give great comfort to Admiral Dewey and the Chinese boy showed his gratitude by shaking hands warmly with the Tennessee congressman and thanking him for his interest in his behalf.

MOLLY VARNUM CHAPTER.

The regular meeting of the Molly Varnum Chapter, D. A. R., was held in Memorial hall, yesterday afternoon. No business was transacted. At a meeting of the board of management, Mrs. Nesmith resigned the office of regent and the board as provided in the by-laws of the chapter filled the vacancy, electing Mrs. Henry M. Thompson regent until the next annual meeting. Mrs. Edward W. Burke was chosen vice regent.

A FEW HINTS

To Our Local Bicycle Riders

ON STORAGE OF THEIR WHEELS

During the Coming Winter Season

The majority of the cyclists are now thinking of storing their wheels away for the winter. A great deal of care should be taken as to how they are cared for during the idle season. Many people take their wheel to pieces, give it a good coating with vaseline and leave it apart all winter. There is no need of doing this, for the pieces are apt to get lost during the three or four months that the wheel is not in use.

Probably one of the most important points to remember is to store the wheel in a place that is not too hot or cold. If it is left in too warm a place it will crack all the enamel and make it chip off, and if the wheel is taken from a hot place and taken out in the cold air and ridden some part of the machine is apt to break. Many accidents have happened to riders storing their wheels in a hot room or sometimes in the cellar near a boiler, and when a good day came when the ground was dry they would take their wheel out for a ride, and the difference in the temperature would be so vast as to cause some part of the frame or forks to crack.

The cause for the cracking of the steel is due to the fact that while the wheel is lying in a hot room the steel expands, and the sudden change of temperature from the hot room to the cold air outside causes the steel to contract with such force as to crack it.

It is equally as bad to leave a bicycle in a cold place during the winter. If left in a cold room the nickel will get rusty and the enamel will turn from the bright enamel to look like a dull coat of paint. The parts of the machine also get stiff and work hard, after taken out, if left in a cold place.

A cold place will also turn the spokes rusty and after a short period they will snap in two. The cement on the tires and the grips of the handlebars will harden and crumble if left in too cold a room.

The best way to care for a wheel during the snowy weather is to give the wheel a good outside cleaning, and then rub vaseline all over the steel parts and leave a good coating on it. Then hang two pieces of rope from the ceiling of the attic or cellar, and tie one under the saddle and the other on the handlebars near the head. Have a bag made out of any kind of cloth so as to completely cover the wheel. If this simple care is taken of your wheel when you store it away it will be as good as new when taken out in the spring.

It is also a good idea to loosen all the nuts when storing the wheel away, for they are apt to crack when turned too tight.

In the spring when the wheel is taken down all the vaseline should be wiped off until the frame is thoroughly dry. If it is hard to get off with a dry cloth a little application of hot water will take it all off.

It is a good thing, also, to take the machine apart before riding it after being stored away all winter. By taking it apart in the spring and giving it a good cleaning, soaking the balls and chain in naphtha or benzine, the wheel will run all season without taking apart.

For any one who keeps their wheel in a room or hallway and cannot put vaseline on it, the next best thing to do is to pump the tires up fairly hard and turn the wheel upside down, so as to let the wheel rest on the handlebars and saddle. This keeps the tires in good condition. If a machine is left resting on the tires, the tires after a while get deflated and form ridges. When the tire is inflated it cracks and becomes porous. It is better to keep the tires fairly well inflated and save the expense of buying a new pair.

Some people take the chain of the bicycle and let it rest in kerosene, naphtha, benzine or some other liquid during the whole winter, and then take it out in the spring and replace it on the sprockets. This is a bad idea, for it tends to weaken the chain.

SUCCESSFUL DANCE

MANAGED BY THE JOLLY EIGHT CLUB OF COLLINSVILLE.

The Jolly Eight, a social organization of Collinsville managed a successful dance at Willow Dale last evening. Many were present from Lowell and a general good time was enjoyed by all. The Cadet orchestra furnished music and dancing was enjoyed until midnight. The following officers had charge of the affair: General manager, Charles Horman; assistant general manager, Peter Mead; floor director, John Laffey; assistant floor director, John Nolan; chief aid, Harry Horman; aids, Frank Cullinan, Jean Marley and Thomas Horman.

CELEBRATED 90th BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Minerva R. Worcester, widow of Leonard Worcester, observed her 90th birthday anniversary yesterday in a quiet and informal manner. Her four children were present and the occasion was made a happy family reunion. Her son William H., came all the way from Canton, O., to be present on the happy occasion, and her other children are Eben C., of Boston, Leonard A., and Martha P., of this city.

Mrs. Worcester is a native of Sharon, Vermont, but is an old resident of Lowell, having lived in her present home at the corner of Bartlett and Alder streets more than 50 years. Her husband died in 1893. She is remarkably bright and active for her years retaining her faculties to a marvelous degree. She is a member of the High street church.

ENJOYABLE PARTY.

A belated correspondent requests the publication of the following:

A very pleasant Hallowe'en party was held at 42 Fulton street. Games were enjoyed and songs were rendered by Messrs. John Gilbride, P. W. Garrity; stump speeches were delivered by Henry O'Brien; buck and wing dance by Mr. M. Monahan; also cake walk by the party; won by Mr. Edward Cunningham and Lizzie Barry. Refreshments were served by Misses Garrity, Barry and Gallagher. The accompanist of the evening was Mr. Charles Dugan.

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FIRST SOCIAL.

The first social of the L. and H. club was held last night at Elvin's hall, about seventy-five couples participating. There were twenty numbers on the program and dancing was continued to a late hour. The officers of the affair were: General manager, E. A. Lundberg; assistant general manager, L. N. Norton; floor director, E. McLean; assistant, Albert Anderson; aids, Messrs. C. Christianson, J. L. McLean, L. Lyness, C. H. Shepard, F. Barrows, and J. R. Williams.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

The overseers of the poor met at city hall last evening to approve bills. No other business of importance was transacted.

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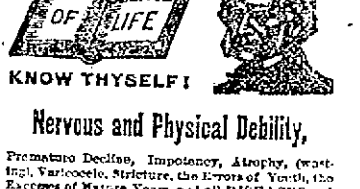

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TROUBLE AGAIN

Government Imposes Another Talk on Bananas

RESIDENTS OF BLUEFIELDS OBJECT

There May Be Another Revolution

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BLUEFIELDS, Nic., Oct. 29.—Via New Orleans, Nov. 2.—The residents of Bluefields are again having some trouble with the administration and will hereafter be taxed from another quarter. Some ten days ago it was announced that after Nov. 1, an export duty of 2 cents a bunch would be placed upon bananas. This export is the life of the coast. The Americans have built up the industry and are building up the country by their presence. The duty proposed affects only the Americans. Were it not for the disorganized condition of the people of the coast another revolution would be likely.

However, this state of affairs cannot occur without some outside assistance. It is this assistance that the people are expecting. Costa Rica is filled with fugitive Nicaraguans and a revolution is not unlikely. This impression is strengthened by the open ill-feeling between leading members of the local administration. If a revolution was started it would be helped and doubtless headed by men who are now exiles.

YOUNG COLORED MAN

CREATED A SENSATION ON WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—A young colored man who subsequently when arrested gave his name as Alpheus L. Ferguson created a sensation on Washington street among the shopping crowds late yesterday afternoon by insulting several women.

He went through the crowds footing women and girls, and finally, after several had been thus angered and others had been frightened, some almost into hysterics, he met one who took the law bravely into her own hands.

She was a woman who lives on Shawmut avenue, one of almost gigantic stature, and as she strode along she towered above all others in the dense crowd.

Police Inspector "Joe" Knox happened along about the time the young colored man ran against this American Amazon.

She didn't hesitate in personally chastising her assailant. Her right hand clinched and hard almost as Jim Jeffries' best, shot out like a battering ram and the colored Mr. Ferguson sprawled upon his back on the hard pavements of thes treet. Should George Siler have been standing above him he might have counted Mr. Ferguson out, for he lay practically insensible several seconds.

The woman who hit him stood ready to strike another blow for her honor and in behalf of her sex.

Just then the police and referee in the person of Inspector Knox quickly pushed through the crowd and arrested the young man who has been thus so emphatically knocked out.

The woman who struck him agreed to go to headquarters and lodge a personal complaint and also to appear in court this morning against him on agreement that her name should not be used.

At headquarters the prisoner gave the name of Ferguson, as stated; said he was 21 years old and declared he had come to Boston only within a few days. He said he had been in the west, that he had no home, and that he did not mean any harm. It appears, however, that he indelicately approached several women ere the lady from Shawmut avenue did him up.

The young fellow was well dressed and rather intelligent looking. He answered questions readily and seemed to take his arrest indifferently.

He will be in court this morning upon a charge of indecent asault.

THE HARVARD TEAM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—The Harvard foot ball team arrived here today at 11.13 a. m., over the Pennsylvania railroad. The men proceeded immediately to the Aldine Hotel, where quarters had been reserved. It was raining when the team reached this city and in consequence there were few people at the station to greet them.

All the men appeared to be in the pink of conditon, and each expressed himself as confident of victory in the game with Pennsylvania tomorrow.

Despite the inclement weather, the men were given some signal practice on Franklin field this afternoon behind closed gates. Tomorrow morning also they will engage in secret practice. The indication today was that the game would be played on a very muddy field.

LESTER TRIPP DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHATHAM, Mass., Nov. 3.—It is believed that a drowning accident occured yesterday in which Lester Tripp, a boy of 17, lost his life while crossing Old Harbor channel in a small raw boat to reach the gunning ground. Neither the boy nor the boat can be found and searchers are dragging the bottom of the channel today for his body.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS SUBSCRIBE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KINGSTON, R. I., Nov. 3.—Sedgwick Post, G. A. R., has received a check from Robert E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, to assist the post in reducing the debt on Encampment hall. The check was sent in recognition of the services performed by the post, which acted as escort when the body of Miss Winnie Davis, the "Daughter of the Confederacy," left this state for the south.

CREDITORS' SLIM CHANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 3.—There is little to be said today about the failure of Woodbury & Moulton, except that the prospect for a settlement that will be of advantage to the creditors grows smaller and smaller, as the condition of the firm becomes better understood by those who are investigating it.

It is estimated by those in a position to judge that the total liabilities will amount to about half a million dollars.

REFUSES TO RESIGN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, Nov. 3.—Much surprise has been expressed in certain quarters that Col. Fred Bacallao, chief of the secret police, does not resign as a mark of sympathy for General Ruiz Rivera, who was recently dismissed from the post of civl governor of Havana. The friends of Bacallao have been endeavoring to influence him to take this step but he absolutely refuses to do so. He says he is exceedingly sorry for Gen. Rivera, but he fails to see any reason why he should throw up a congenial occupation because of the latter's dismissal.

1000 KILLED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, Nov. 3.—A statement is circulated here of alleged good authority that the second battle has been fought at Ladysmith, in which 1000 British have been killed, the remainder of White's army retreating to Pietermaritzburg.

It is impossible to authenticate the report, but your correspondent's authority says beyond doubt a second battle has taken place.

A LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed Upon John Roberts, the Lawrence Murderer

ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILTY

In Accordance With Advice of His Counsel

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Nov. 3.—John Roberts was brought into the superior court this afternoon and after pleading guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree was sentenced to state prison for life.

Roberts shot and killed Maria Letcher, a mill operative, with whom he was living, on March 4th the present year. The prisoner is 37 years old and is a native of England. His victim was 32 and was also born in England. Roberts was inclined to be jealous of the attentions other men paid her and they quarreled frequently. On the morning of the murder he wanted the Letcher woman to go to work at the mill where she was employed but for some reason she preferred to remain in her boarding house that day. After angry words had been exchanged, Roberts suddenly drew a revolver and fired three shots at his companion. She died five minutes afterward.

Roberts was at once arrested and in May he was indicted by the grand jury. He was examined as to his sanity the report of the physicians being that he was not insane. Later, on the advice of counsel, the defendant decided to plead guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree.

SCHOONER SUNK

WHEN FOUND POACHING IN RUSSIAN WATERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 3.—The whaling bark Charles W. Morgan which has arrived from Japanese waters brings the story of the sinking of a Japanese sealing schooner by the Russian gunboat Alexis. The schooner which carried a crew of twenty-one men, was caught poaching on Russian sealing preserves. It was almost dark and the seal tried to elude the gunboat. A shot was fired across her bows but she kept on her course. Then the Russian captain ordered his guns trained on the schooner. Three of her men were picked up by the Russian boat but the rest were drowned. Two Japanese schooners were on the forbidden grounds when the Alexis appeared. Both schooners tried to escape and separated. One of them was sunk, but in stopping to pick up the survivors the Alexis allowed the other to escape. It was this schooner which the Morgan spoke and from which the news of the accident was obtained.

PARNELL MEMORIAL

LORD MAYOR TALLON AND MR. REDMOND MAY SPEAK HERE.

A meeting was held at the Washington Tavern Thursday by sympathizers with the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the late Charles Stewart Parnell. Among those present were Mr. Sheehan of Boston, John W. McEvoy, Esq., Hon. Edward F. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, and a number of prominent local gentlemen.

The matter of holding a public meeting was talked over and it was decided to call a meeting for Sunday afternoon to make the necessary arrangements for a public meeting to be held in aid of the memorial. Mr. Kennedy, the secretary to Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin, visited Mr. Reagan of the Washington Tavern yesterday afternoon and expressed a desire that Mayor Tallon and Mr. Redmond be invited to Lowell. It is now quite probable that a successful demonstration will be held on one of the dates, which the speakers have at their disposal.

THE DEPOSED PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Nov. 3.—Gen. Ignacio Andrade, the recently deposed president of Venezuela, who made his escape from Caracas October 20th, arrived here last night. He will proceed for San Juan de Porto Rico today.

MORE PROOF

THAT YOUNG HARDY WAS MURDERED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Additional proof that Frederick Hardy, Jr., the young art student from Tennessee was murdered on the Shore Drive, near Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, came to light today. The day after Hardy was last seen, on Oct. 23, a carpenter found on the slope leading from the shore drive to the water of the Narrows an shine hat and a pocketbook, which were Hardy's. The pocketbook was empty except for some portraits of relatives of the young man. No importance was attached to the finding of the articles until the discovery of Hardy's corpse in the water at Keyport, N. J., when the hat and pocketbook were taken to the police station. The friends of the murdered man identified them.

IN MEMORY OF EDITOR DANA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, Nov. 3.—At Puerto Principe a marble block has been set up in the public square to the memory of the late Charles Dana, the late editor of the New York Sun. An inscription on the front says the stone is raised to a tireless defender of Cuban liberty. The square itself has been rechristened Plaza Dana and the stone is in the centre.

WILL REBUILD MILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MILLBURY, Mass., Nov. 3.—C. T. Aldrich's satinet mill which was burned Monday morning, is to be rebuilt, but the new structure will be reduced in size. Mr. Aldrich has a large amount of stock on hand and many orders. The insurance is now being adjusted.

The Union linen mill is being run to its fullest capacity. The company is considering the question of enlarging the plant at early date.

it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

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Kidney diseases should be attended to at once, for almost 90 per cent. of our unexpected deaths of to-day are from that cause. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the only sure cure known for diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Bladder and Blood, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and Chronic Constipation. It is marvelous how it stops that pain in the back, relieves the necessity of urinating so often at night, drives away that scalding pain in passing water, corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer and shows its beneficial effects on the system in an incredibly short time. It is sold by all drug stores at $1.00 a bottle.

If you would like to test Favorite Remedy free of all charge, send your full name and post office address to the DR. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N. Y., and a free trial bottle, together with a pamphlet of valuable medical advice, will be sent you by return and post paid, providing you mention this paper when you write. The publishers of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this liberal offer.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Clerk John Ambrose was taken ill yesterday afternoon, fainting away in the corridor at the noon recess. He was unable to appear at court today and Clerk Theodore C. Hind relieved him.

The testimony in the Taylor case was quite spicy. Several government witnesses, including an officer were sworn by the government but not put on the stand and Lawyer Donahue for the defence created a surprise by calling these witnesses for the defence. Some of these contradicted each other on the stand. Edward Steele, the son of the defendant testified that he owned the house in dispute, and full contract of it and that his mother had nothing to do with it. He said that no liquor was sold, there was no disorderly conduct and his wife was sober, though an officer called for the defence said that Steele's wife was drunk at the time of the search for liquor and kissed the officer.

Mr. Steele testified that his wife kissed both of the men and Manning, the chief of police went down so as to give her a good opportunity to do it.

John Palmer testified that he had worked for Eddie Steele at the house and while there never saw any liquor sold, any drunkenness or disorderly persons.

The case went to the jury shortly before adjournment.

Charles D. Holmes, non-support of child received six months in the house of Correction.

Daniel Ryan, assault and battery received six months in the house of correction.

Thomas J. Borthestle, illegally transporting liquor, three months in the House of Correction.

Harry Brooks, charged with larceny was sent to the House of Correction for two months.

The case of George Healey of Somerville, a naval veteran of the Spanish war was placed on trial just before adjournment for breaking and entering and larceny. He was defended by Lawyer Frank P. Curran of Woburn. The complainant was Mrs. Eustes, who keeps a store in Somerville and she testified that on the night of Sept 25 her place was opened by a window and $15 in money and other articles were stolen.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Augusta Taylor returned a verdict of guilty of keeping a disorderly house.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

The Healey case went to the jury this afternoon and other out-of-town cases were taken up. The court will adjourn this evening until Wednesday, as there will be no session on election day.

McBRIDE SENTENCED.

In the superior court this afternoon, William F. McBride, who was found guilty of vagabondage, was sentenced by Judge Bond to a term of one year in the house of correction.

Mrs. Taylor, found guilty on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, failed to appear for sentence, and has therefore defaulted.

The jury in the case of Arthur J. Barker, charged with larceny, returned a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred.

Court adjourned at 4.10 till Wednesday morning.

A FATAL FALL

A Hair Pin Entered Woman's Brain

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEEDHAM, Nov. 2.—Rev. Robert L. Webb, pastor of the Needham First Baptist church has the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of his wife Frances, which occurred this morning as the result of a peculiar accident. While engaged in the performance of her home duties, Mrs. Webb was taken with an apoplectic fit and fell, striking the back of her head against a stove. A large bone hairpin which she was wearing inflicted a severe wound at the base of the brain. Death resulted within a few minutes.

Brief funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Mrs. Webb's late home on Chestnut street. The remains will be taken to Washington, D. C., tomorrow evening for burial.

BIG FIRE

DESTROYED NEARLY EVERY BUSINESS HOUSE IN THOMASVILLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

THOMASVILLE, Ala., Nov. 3.—A disastrous fire started at 11 o'clock last night in the office of N. B. Boyle's store and by 1 o'clock every business house in town except H. Mordingstar & Co. and J. P. Turner & Sons, had been burned. Very few goods were saved from any of the buildings as the fire under the impetus of a high northwest wind spread with fearful rapidity. Six hundred bales of cotton in the public warehouse were burned with little insurance on it.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

WILLIAM YESTER EXPLODED GUN POWDER IN HIS MOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EGANSVILLE, Ont., Nov. 3.—William Yester, who on Tuesday last murdered his wife and 19-year-old daughter, committed suicide today. He filled his mouth with gun powder and touched it with a lighted match. He only succeeded, however, in distorting his features terribly, so took poison.

SAFE ROBBERS GOT $23.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Nov. 3.—Safe robbers sometime yesterday afternoon entered the office of Leary Brothers, stablemen, at North Attleboro, got into the safe that was unlocked and decamped with $23. Nothing else was taken.

SCHOONER CHIQUITA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHARLESVOIX, Mich., Nov. 3.—The schooner yacht Chiquita, which was wrecked near Miller's Landing, Ind., left here two weeks ago. On board were D. S. Way, his wife and a young man named Rollin Frazin. They were en route to Florida. Way formerly sailed vessels on the lakes, but of late years had been a roaming photographer.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Frank Cummings, a conductor on the Pawtucket street route of the Lowell & Suburban road, and Miss Jennie Turner were married in this city recently by Rev. George F. Keungott. They have taken up their residence in Marginal street.

BIRCHETT CONFESSED

TO HAVING STOLEN ABOUT $6,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—George W. Birchett, a colored porter employed by the Adams Express company was arraigned in police court today and held for trial on a charge of stealing a money bag containing $6000 in gold from the company's office on Saturday last. Birchett confessed the theft and said he had taken the gold out of the company's office in a bundle of wood so that it would not be noticed.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Rain or snow late tonight and Saturday morning, followed by clearing weather; northeast winds, increasing in force.

Miss Grace Kenneson has just finished a very successful week at Park Theatre, Worcester, and is in town visiting her sister. She will leave for New York next week, where she is booked to appear at some of the leading theatres.

REPLY AWAITED

Fall River Manufacturers In Session This Afternoon

WILL CONSIDER WAGE QUESTION

Generally Believed Increase Will be Refused

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 3.—While there was considerable interest in the meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers' association which was called for 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, to act on the recommendations of the committee which conferred with the union representatives in relation to the request for an advance in wages, the general sentiment in mill circles before the assembling of the treasurers, was that the operatives will not get an increase at this time. Some of the manufacturers discussed the matter among themselves with the result that the proposition of the unions received few supporters. As soon as the result of this afternoon's meeting of the association is communicated officially to the union committee by Secretary Hounsville, President Tansey of the Textile council, will call a meeting to discuss it. The council will make recommendations to the bodies which it represents, and the advice will probably be accepted by all the unions.

LIEUT. BOUTELLE

KILLED WHILE ATTACKING THE INSURGENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The war department has received the following cablegram:

Manila, Nov. 3. On the first inst., Lieut. Slavens and eighteen men reconnoitring MacArthur's front, struck forty or more entrenched insurgents. Immediately attacked and dispersed them, killing three and wounding a number. No casualties. Yesterday Lawton's advance at Aliago struck enemy both west and south of the city. Batson's Macabebe scouts reconnoitering south struck insurgents in ambush. Lieut. Boutelle was killed. One scout was wounded. Batson routed the enemy and left seven dead in the thickets. Yesterday Bell of the 36th volunteers with regiment and troop of the 4th cavalry cleared the country of all armed insurgents from Florida Blanca to a considerable distance beyond Porac, pursuing them into the mountains, capturing nine of their cavalry horses, several guns, considerable property, killing, wounding and capturing a number of the enemy. Insurgent cavalry of that section is practically destroyed. Bell's casualties were one man killed and two wounded."

REP. BOUTELLE'S NEPHEW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Second Lieut. Henry M. Boutelle was a son of Captain Frazier A. Boutelle, U. S. A., retired, and a nephew of Representative Boutelle of Maine. He was appointed second lieutenant of the Third artillery, July 9, 1898, I on civil life and the next month accompanied his regiment to the Philippines.

CAUGHT IN GALES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GIBRALTAR, Nov. 3.—Four vessels suffering from the effects of gales on the Atlantic ocean arrived here today. The British barks Blanche Currey and Electra from Labrador; a British schooner, Jennie Jones, from Labrador; and a Norwegian schooner, Capella, from Newfoundland all having bulwarks smashed and lost sails. The Electra jettisoned ten tons of her cargo.

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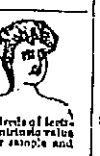

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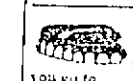

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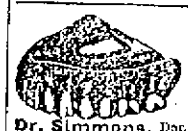

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Boston & Maine Railroad

Corrected to October 2, 1899. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.40, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.00, c9.15, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, c3.00, 4.22, c5.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.40, 6.28, c6.45, *7.05, w7.50, *7.20, *7.28, 7.35, *7.45, w*8.00, *8.57, c9.13, w9.25, *9.00, w10.50, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; 12.05, w12.05, 12.10, w12.45, 1.43, w2.50, w*3.00, 3.10, *3.17, w3.50, 4.23, w5.15, 5.22, c5.40, w5.50, *6.22, 7.00, *7.40, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 7.35, 7.28, w8.15, 8.45, 9.13 a. m.; w12.05, w4.00, 4.35, w6.20, 8.53, w7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.24, w6.30, z7.33, w8.35, w9.25, 10.03, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.30, w3.10, w3.55, 4.18, w5.15, w6.10, w7.00, w9.15, w10.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30, w7.25 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.24, 7.33 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w5.15, 5.53 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.25, 6.53, z7.33, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.20, 3.10, w3.15, w5.15, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.20, 3.15, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.25, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.10, 5.15, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.25, 8.30, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.25, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.25, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 5.15 p. m. (5.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.04, 7.33, *7.43, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 4.25, 5.53 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.12 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.12 a. m.; 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 6.21, *8.10, *8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only), 3.08 a. m.; 2.00, 6.03, 8.10, 8.40 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, *8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Bethel, Newport, (St. J.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.43 a. m.; 5.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *9.40 a. m.; *1.40, *8.40 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Jct., Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *9.40 a. m.; *8.40 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *9.40 a. m.; *8.40 p. m.

References:

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bWednesdays and Saturdays only.

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

Following is an account of the fight by rounds:

Nov. 3.—It was just 10 o'clock when Tom Sharkey worked his way through the crowd from his dressing room to the ring. He was accompanied by O'Rourke and Tim McGrath, his trainer. He took his seat in the southwest corner of the ring. Jeffries soon afterward entered the ring and shook hands with Sharkey. Sharkey remained seated while Jeffries stood up for a while talking with his attendants.

At 10.05, the announcer stated that the winner had been challenged by Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett.

Tim McGrath and O'Rourke were busy with the sponge putting the finishing touches on their man from the time he entered the ring until time was called.

The timekeeper for Sharkey was Mike Bradley and for Jeffries Al. Smith. The referee was George Siler. Billy Madden held the watch for the Coney Island club. Sharkey was clad in a green breech cloth and looked in splendid form when the bath robe was removed. Jeffries wore black tights and the story that he was not in good trim was dispelled by his appearance. In fact, both men looked the picture of health.

First round. They sparred very cautiously for a few moments and then Sharkey sent left and right to the face. The blows seemed to disconcert Jeffries for a moment and he side-stepped toward the ropes. He quickly recovered himself, however, and sent a hard left to Sharkey's jaw. They clinched and immediately separated. After a few minutes of sparring, Sharkey led again with the left for the jaw but was short and Jeffries countered heavily with a straight left on the chin. They clinched but soon parted. Sharkey again led and Jeffries side-stepped away from the blows. Sharkey led again, missed and Jeffries smiled. Sharkey again rushed and fell short and Jeffries stepping in quickly, sent the right with considerable force to the ribs. The blow caused the sailor to stagger a little but he straightened up quickly and again he rushed the Californian who met him a second time with a straight right on the ribs. Sharkey missed with the left for the jaw as the bell sounded and Jeffries laughed at his failure.

Second round. Both rushed, missed and clinched. Jeffries laughed after they broke away. He then rushed viciously, and caught the sailor in the corner and smashed him with such force on the jaw with the left as to score a knockdown. Sharkey arose in a rather dazed condition after five seconds had been counted off. He was very aggressive, however, and swung his left viciously for the head. Jeffries blocked the blow and sent the left again to the jaw, scoring another knockdown. The sailor was on his feet quickly and made a determined rush and scored with left and right on the shoulder. A hard exchange at close range followed and closed the round with Jeffries scoring smartly with left and right on the head and right on the ear. During a breakaway in this round Sharkey landed lightly with both hands on the neck and jaw.

Third round. Both came up quickly for the third round. Sharkey was the aggressor, swinging the left for the jaw and falling short. He rushed again and landed a hard left on Jeffries' mouth. Jeffries returned the compliment in the next exchange with a hard one over the heart. They came together again, both falling short. Sharkey was very wild with right and left swings in the next exchange and Jeffries easily avoided his blows. Once Sharkey feinted in so badly that he became confused and did not know what to do. Realizing that the sailor was disconcerted, Jeffries rushed and sent a terrific right-hand straight blow to the body which sent the sailor staggering against the ropes. Tom regained his position quickly, only to receive another hard blow on the ribs.

Fourth round. After some feinting, Sharkey rushed, trying to score with the left on the head, but Jeffries cleverly stepped inside the blow and it went behind the neck. After breaking away from the clinch, Jeffries rushed and sent the right hard over the heart. The blow angered Sharkey and he rushed vigorously swinging both hands. The left which was intended for the jaw, missed, but the right found a resting place on Jeffries' ribs. Every time Sharkey missed with a left lead he would clinch and Jeffries would look him square in the eye and smile. Sharkey rushed repeatedly during the closing moments of the round but failed to land an effective blow. On the other hand, Jeffries met his rushes with terrific right-handers over the heart and as the bell sounded sent a left to the jaw that made Sharkey reel toward the ropes.

Fifth round. Directly the gong sounded, Sharkey was out of his corner on a sprint and just grazed the champion's lips with a left hander. He also landed the right on Jeffries' neck. They clinched. After breaking away, Jeffries rushed and sent terrific right hand blows to the body twice in succession, sending Sharkey to the ropes and forcing him to clinch. On the breakaway, Sharkey delivered a terrific blow on the body which made Jeffries grunt. They mixed it up several times after this, and Sharkey scored heavily several times with the left on the body. Jeffries was not so successful in getting home his blows. At the conclusion of the round, Brady, on behalf of Jeffries said that Sharkey had hit Jeffries contrary to the rules and he claimed a foul on behalf of the champion. The referee, however, refused to take cognizance of the claim.

Sixth round. When this round opened, Jeffries rushed and sent a hard left to the body. Sharkey countered with a hard left swing on the chin, which shook the champion up considerably. Jeffries replied with a terrific right on the heart and for his pains received a vigorous swing on the jaw. The blow weakened Jeffries and he clinched. After this he repeatedly rested on the sailor and had to be drawn away by the referee. Sharkey, who was at his man all the while, landed repeatedly on the body and head. Sharkey was the fresher of the pair when the bell rang.

Seventh round. Jeffries opened the round with a stiff right over the heart. Sharkey replied with a right on the ribs. He followed this with a smart left on the jaw and just missed Jeffries' jaw with the right. Sharkey was very aggressive and insisted on cutting out the pace. He frequently scored with force on the body and face. Jeffries tried hard to return the blows but rarely reached the objective point. He was very tired and in all the clinches rested his weight on the Irishman. He also held Sharkey in the clinches, and the referee on several occasions was compelled to push him away. Jeffries landed only two good blows, a left on the body and a right over the heart. It was Sharkey's round.

Eighth round. Sharkey opened up briskly, sending a hard left to the body and making Jeffries clinch. The champion rested his entire weight on his plucky little opponent and the crowd hissed. In a warm exchange at close range each scored heavily on the head and body with both hands. One blow, a vicious right swing, split Sharkey's ear and caused the blood to flow freely. A clinch followed the mix-up. On the breakaway Sharkey landed a vicious left swing on the jaw, dazing the champion who clinched and refused to break until the referee pulled him away. Hot infighting followed with Sharkey scoring the greater number of blows. Jeffries was very weary when the round closed. Sharkey was comparatively fresh.

Ninth round. Sharkey was quicker out of his corner and immediately cut out the work, landing a light left on the ear. Jeffries countered with the right on the face. Sharkey rushed and sent a hard straight jab to the mouth. The blow staggered Jeffries and Sharkey was about to send the right across when Jeffries sprinted away. By side stepping, the champion kept out of range of Sharkey for a moment. He seemed very tired and was always willing to embrace Sharkey when they came to a clinch. During the clinches the sailor frequently scored with both hands on the body. These blows seemed to distress the Californian considerably. They were hard at it when the bell rang with Sharkey having the better of it and carrying off the honors. Jeffries complained of the heat at the close of the round and his seconds rolled pieces of ice over his forehead and head.

Tenth round. Sharkey opened up with a left to the body. He quickly followed with a straight left to the chin, avoiding Jeffries' return. In the next rally they exchanged hard lefts. Jeffries then rushed Sharkey to the ropes across the ring. The sailor tried to wrestle with the champion on route. They were locked when the referee interfered and cautioned both against such practices. After breaking away, Sharkey went to his man in vigorous shape and scored well with left on the body and face although Jeffries several times scored with effect with the right over the heart. Sharkey who seemed to be over-confident, kept rushing in and finally Jeffries landed a hard right with such force over the sailor's left eye as to cut a deep gash from which blood trickled freely. As the bell sounded, Jeffries landed two good rights on the ribs and a smart left on the body. Sharkey shook his head and smiled at the champion while going to his corner and Jeffries winked in return.

Eleventh round. The sailor was again the aggressor when the bell rang and rushing viciously swung right and left for the head. Jeffries blocked both blows cleverly and taking a hand at forcing matters sent the right twice with force to Sharkey's ribs. He followed with a left on the jaw and received in return a left swing on the wind that made him grunt. Sharkey made several attempts to land the right square on the jaw but the champion blocked beautifully with his right. They exchanged vicious lefts on the body. Sharkey fought a bit wild toward the close of the round, and gave Jeffries an opportunity to send his right again with staggering force to the sailor's injured eye. Just before the bell rang, Jeffries rushed the sailor across the ring and both were punching away, although almost locked when the referee interfered.

Twelfth round. Both tried with lefts for the jaw when the round opened and missed. Sharkey was not discouraged at this failure and rushed again, and again, but failed to get past Jeffries' right for the body. In the next rally they exchanged almost blow for blow, Sharkey landed with lefts on the head and Jeffries with rights on the ribs. The fighting after this was very fast, with Sharkey cutting out the pace and outpointing the champion. Both were rather tired at the close of the round. It was terrific work and fine fighting, a good exhibition of pluck and ability to take punching on the part of both.

Thirteenth round. Considering the fast pace at which they had fought, both came out of their corners in very good shape. Sharkey, as usual, took the initiative and sent the left hard to the body. He followed this with a chopping left hand blow on the mouth and a straight left on the ribs. Jeff returned the compliment with a straight right hander over the heart. The blow however did not phase the sailor who continued his rushing tactics and kept going in on the champion all the while scoring with the left on head and body.

Fourteenth round. Sharkey came out of his corner on the run and swung the right for the jaw, but missed. Jeffries sidestepped cleverly. The sailor followed with a smart left to the body and a right for the head. Jeffries did not like the blow and showed his displeasure by clinching. They remained in the clinch until the referee went between them. On the breakaway Sharkey made Jeffries' head rock with a wicked left swing on the jaw. He followed this with a left to the pit of the stomach. Jeffries screwed up his face in apparent pain and looked at Siler, evidently wishing to convey the impression that he had been hit foul. He was almost on the defensive for the remainder of the round and Sharkey was all over him, outpointing him at the least five to one. The champion was very tired, and availed himself of every opportunity to clinch. Sharkey on the other hand looked quite fresh and willing to go to the limit.

Fifteenth round—Sharkey took the initiative in this round. He swung with the left for the jaw and missed. He countered heavily over the heart with the right stepping away and back quickly. Sharkey then sent a hard left to the jaw and the blow caused Jeffries to reel toward the ropes. The champion, however recovered himself in fairly good style and with a right swing staggered Sharkey and split his ear. Sharkey replied with a right on the left ear, splitting that member. Three hard lefts on the jaw by Sharkey were followed by the sailor sending the same hand with such force to Jeffries' nose as to split it and make the blood flow. The blow also staggered the champion, but Jeffries made a grand rally and fighting briskly for a few moments landed right and left on body and face. He staggered Sharkey with a left but Sharkey, whose recuperative powers seemed best, came back instantly and smashed the champion right and left on the body.

Sixteenth round—Several failures on the part of both men to land were finally followed by Sharkey catching Jeffries with force on the jaw in the breakaway. This blow made the Californian's head rock. Sharkey kept boring in on his man with lefts to body and head. Finally Jeffries landed a one, straight left to the pit of the stomach and a right hard over the heart, and both men were much distressed at the conclusion of the round. They had fought at a terrific pace and, considering the extreme heat, it was no wonder they were so distressed.

Seventeenth round—Sharkey forced the issue when the round opened. He missed with the left to the jaw. He was more successful next time, however, landing hard on the face. His next effort, also, was rewarded with success. It was a right on the ribs and forced Jeffries to clinch. Jeffries countered Sharkey's leads two or three times with lefts on the body, and then sprinted away. Sharkey was forcing the Californian toward the ropes just before the bell rang. At the bell he had Jeffries' head under his arm, and tried to wring it. For this he was hissed.

Eighteenth round—Directly the bell rang Shakey made a swift movement toward the centre of the ring, feinted with the right for the body, and sent the left hard for the nose, causing blood to flow. Jeffries clinched and Sharkey landed hard with the left on the body. Jeffries looked protestingly at Siler, trying to indicate that a foul had been committed. The crowd hooted the Californian for this. Jeffries, who seemed winded and considerably distressed, tried to meet Sharkey's rushes, but rarely countered. In many instances his blows went very wide of the mark. Sharkey kept fighting in at close range all the while, and repeatedly landed on the jaw with the left. He easily outpointed the champion.

Nineteenth round—After a few moments' fighting in this round, Jeffries landed two hard lefts on the jaw and a right on the body. He claimed a foul a moment later, but the referee shook his head, and the crowd hooted. Another left in the jaw after the breakaway seemed to stir Jeffries to action, and for a moment he flattered his admirers with lefts and rights to body and head, but toward the close of the round Sharkey was scoring the greater number of blows, and his punches seemed to have the greater force.

Twentieth round—Both missed lefts, and then Sharkey scored with the left on the nose, drawing blood. Jeffries countered with the right on the sailor's damaged ear. They clinched after this and on breaking away Sharkey peeled the champion with a glove and the crowd hissed. Several spirited rallies followed, during which Sharkey landed blows on the body, while Jeffries scored with straight lefts on the face and the mouth. A short time before the bell rang Jeffries put the right heavily on the sailor's jaw. The blow dazed Sharkey, and he clinched to avoid further punishment. He clung hard to Jeffries until the referee parted them. He quickly recovered from the effects of the blow and in the closing exchanges Jeffries had none the better of it.

Twenty-first round—They immediately got to a clinch when the bell rang and the referee had to part them. Sharkey rushed in the next rally, but was short, and Jeffries steadied him with a straight left on the nose. The Californian followed this with a wicked right on the ribs. He also landed a left swing, and got away without a return. The sailor clinched twice, and each time the referee had to separate them. Both were distressed when they went to their corners.

Twenty-second round—Jeffries led off with a heavy left to the body. Sharkey retaliated with a wicked right on the ribs. The sailor tried to score with his left, but Jeffries cleverly stopped the blow and sent his right so hard on Sharkey's damaged eye that it bled again. The latter blow angered Sharkey considerably, and, rushing viciously and wildly toward the champion, he missed for the head and Jeffries uppercut him with the left hand twice. The champion also landed the right hand heavily on the sailor's bad eye, making blood flow in streams. Jeffries' friends began to shout enthusiastically, while the sailor's admirers groaned. While in a clinch, Sharkey turned around to reassure his seconds by winking and remarked to O'Rourke: "I'm all right." He was, nevertheless, very tired and bleeding freely, and the referee had to drag him away from Jeffries. In the closing rallies of the round Jeffries frequently uppercut Sharkey with the left and placed the right with force over the body.

Twenty-third round—Although Sharkey was quite distressed when he went to his corner at the end of the preceding round, he came up for this round in fairly good shape, and immediately took the aggressive. He went after his man like a tiger, swinging wickedly for the jaw with both hands, but Jeffries, who now seemed to be himself, cleverly blocked the blows and ripped a right hand to jaw just as the round closed that made the sailor groggy. The sailor was reeling toward the ropes, and in a very weary condition when the round ended. Thee all of time probably saved him from a knockout. Jeffries was very strong and fighting fast.

Twenty-fourth round—Jeffries uppercut. Sharkey tried a right swing, but was short. Sharkey swung the right, but was short again, and Jeffries landed a light right. Jeffries tried to put a right across. He landed a stiff uppercut and followed it with another. He brought the right across, but it was a little wild. Sharkey was so weak he could hardly stand. Jeffries put the right and left over the heart. He kept trying with the right and left, but could not land. Sharkey was badly hurt. Jeffries put a right uppercut and tried a right jolt, but Sharkey was still on his feet. The gong alone saved Sharkey.

Twenty-fifth round—Sharkey's seconds worked like Trojans over their man during the minute's rest and sent him to the centre of the ring for the final round looking much refreshed.

As was his custom, the sailor cut out the work. He rushed wickedly with the left for the jaw but fell short, and Jeffries countered heavily with the right on the jaw, staggering the sailor. Sharkey clinched to avoid further blows and Siler had to pull him away. After the clinch Jeffries, who now showed considerable spirit, rushed smartly at his man and smashed him right and left on the body and head.

During a spirited exchange which occurred after the round had run two minutes, Jeffries' glove became loosened and fell off his left hand. Siler told Sharkey not to hit, and, at the same time, he tried to fasten the glove on the champion's head.

The seconds of both men shouted to them to go on and finish, and they exchanged one or two blows, when Siler again came between them and refused to allow them to fight further, meanwhile trying to place Jeffries' glove on his hand. Before he succeeded in doing so, the round expired, and the fight was over. The referee announced that Jeffries was the winner. The decision was received with cheers by Jeffries friends, while Shakey's men groaned.

GEORGE SILER'S DESCRIPTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The following is a description of the battle by George Siler, the referee.

To begin with, the fight was the fastest I have ever seen. I thought when it began that it would not go over six rounds. The slugging was simply terrific. Jeffries started in with right hand body blows hard enough to stop an ordinary man or any fighter not as tough as Sharkey. It was simply remarkable that he stood them without giving way under them.

Jeffries being the longer in reach, the heavier and the more scientific, I thought that Sharkey would begin rushing tactics right from the start, and was surprised to see him stand off and spar. This, I thought, was a great advantage to Jeffries.

However, Sharkey was the first to let go, and he landed on Jeffries' breast. This set the ball a rolling. Jeffries came back with a straight left hand lead, after which he devoted all his time to Sharkey's body, landing hard and often with the right. Sharkey seemed to be all abroad in regard to his leads, going over Jeffries' shoulder repeatedly.

It looked to me that Jeffries' body blows would bring Sharkey down in a position for Jeffries to land a knockout. Jeffries, however, paid no attention to

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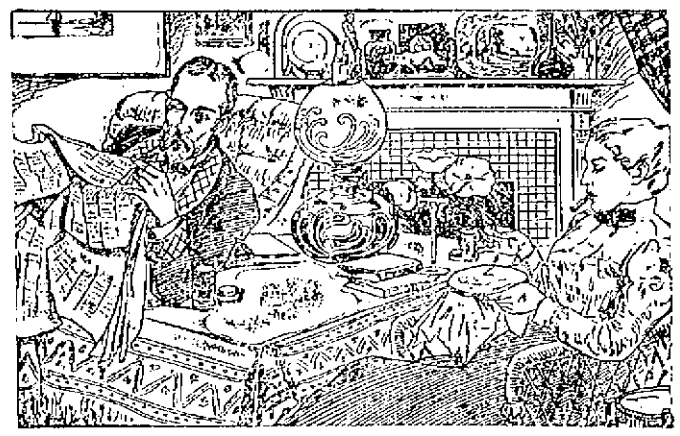

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Many of our football enthusiasts will visit West Chelmsford this afternoon to see the game between the Westford academy team and the Manchesters. This will be the second time this year that these teams have been arrayed against each other and the Westford boys expect to come out victorious on their home grounds.

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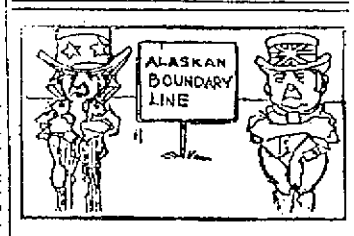

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George R. Peare of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party.
Winfield P. Porter of Newburyport, Democratic Social. Nom. paper.

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SENATOR. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Fred Joy of Winchester, Republican.
Frederic R. S. Mildon of Marlborough, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

George G. King of Concord, Democratic.
Frank A. Patch of Boxborough, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Seventh Middlesex District.

Charles Henry Hanson of Lowell, Republican.
Gardner W. Pearson of Lowell, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Middlesex and Essex District.

Howard K. Sanderson of Lynn, Republican.
Thomas W. Selig of North Reading, Democratic.
Norman A. Torrey of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Second Suffolk District.

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Peter F. Tagus of Boston, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

First Middlesex District.

John C. Daley, Cambridge, Democratic.
James J. Myers of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Second Middlesex District.

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James Butler of Cambridge, Democratic.
William R. Davis of Cambridge, Republican.
James A. Montgomery of Cambridge, Democratic.
Clement G. Morgan of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Third Middlesex District.

Jonas F. Capelle of Cambridge, Republican.
Cornelius Minihan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fourth Middlesex District.

Daniel S. Coolidge of Cambridge, Republican.
Clarence H. Douglass of Cambridge, Democratic.
Charles P. Keith of Cambridge, Republican.
Thomas F. Mahoney of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Albert S. Apsey of Cambridge, Republican.
Joseph Cogan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

John L. S. Connolly of Somerville, Democratic.
Horace C. White of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Seventh Middlesex District.

John N. Hall of Somerville, Republican.
J. Edwin Bradshaw of Somerville, Democratic.
John F. Couch of Somerville, Democratic.
Frank E. Fitts of Somerville, Republican.
George W. Hayes of Somerville, Democratic.
Robert Luce of Somerville, Republican Independent Nom. Paper.
French O. J. Tarbox of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighth Middlesex District.

William L. Barber of Somerville, Republican.
Robert T. Brown of Somerville, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Ninth Middlesex District.

Nicholas B. Koyou of Medford, Democratic. Citizens.
J. William Williams of Medford, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Tenth Middlesex District.

Amos P. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edwin S. Mayo of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edward C. Mead of Everett, Republican.
H. Heustis Newton of Everett, Republican.
Fred E. Sauer of Everett, Democratic.
Philip Tworoger of Everett, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Eleventh Middlesex District.

Aaron C. Dowse of Malden, Republican.
George H. Fall of Malden, Republican.
John F. Harrington of Malden, Democratic.
Louis E. Kilday of Malden, Democratic.
William F. Merrill of Malden, Prohibition.
Bernard T. Quinn of Malden, Prohibition.
George G. Saunders of Malden, Prohibition.
William Schofield of Malden, Republican.
John P. White of Malden, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twelfth Middlesex District.

Thomas S. Spurr of Winchester, Democratic.
Samuel W. Twombly of Winchester, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirteenth Middlesex District.

J. Howell Crosby of Arlington, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fourteenth Middlesex District.

Henry R. Skinner of Watertown, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fifteenth Middlesex District.

George F. Leslie of Waltham, Republican.
Bernard J. Madden of Waltham, Democratic.
Charles F. A. Smith of Waltham, Republican.
E. Irving Smith of Waltham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Sixteenth Middlesex District.

N. Henry Chadwick of Newton, Republican.
James H. Kenstea of Newton, Democratic.
John T. Langford of Newton, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Seventeenth Middlesex District.

Henry L. Brown of Weston, Republican.
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston, Prohibition.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighteenth Middlesex District.

Horace B. Gale of Natick, Republican.
Timothy F. Sullivan of Natick, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Nineteenth Middlesex District.

Charles H. Dowse of Sherborn, Democratic.
Robert H. Leland of Sherborn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twentieth Middlesex District.

Charles D. Lewis of Framingham, Democratic.
Charles J. McPherson of Framingham, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-first Middlesex District.

George Balcom of Marlborough, Democratic.
Lucius P. Bent of Sudbury, Republican
William M. Brigham of Marlborough, Republican.
George A. Haynes of Sudbury, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-second Middlesex District.

Thomas F. Mahoney of Hudson, Democratic.
Charles H. Persons of Maynard, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-third Middlesex District.

Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford, Republican.
T. Frank Mullin of Ayer, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-fourth Middlesex District.

Edwin A. Hubbard of Ashby, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-fifth Middlesex District.

James H. McKinley of Lowell, Republican.
Frank E. McNabb of Lowell, Democratic.
William J. Quigley of Chelmsford, Democratic.
Martin Robbins of Chelmsford, Republican.
Fred H. Rourke of Lowell, Democratic.
Walter S. Watson of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-Sixth Middlesex District.

Patrick H. Barry of Lowell, Democratic.
Arthur H. Cluer of Lowell, Republican.
Richard Dobbins of Lowell, Republican.
Matthew M. Mansfield of Lowell, Democratic.
Francis B. McCarthy of Lowell, Democratic.
George E. Varney of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-seventh Middlesex District.

Butler Ames of Lowell, Republican.
John H. Riordan of Lowell, Democratic.
Daniel W. Robbins of Carlisle, Republican.
John T. Sparks of Dracut, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-eighth Middlesex District

John M. Berry of Reading, Socialist Labor Party.
Michael J. Doyle of Woburn, Democratic.
John A. Johnson of Woburn, Socialist Labor Party.
Robert J. W. Phinney of Woburn, Democratic.
Arthur E. Roberts of Reading, Republican.
Frank E. Wetherell of Woburn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-ninth Middlesex District.

Frederick O. Clark of Wakefield, Republican.
Charles A. Dean of Wakefield, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirtieth Middlesex District.

Fred E. Buker of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.
Walter S. Keene of Stoneham, Republican.
Joshua T. Nowell of Stoneham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirty-first Middlesex District.

Charles H. Adams of Melrose, Republican.

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REFORM LEAGUE

Municipal Measures to Engage Their Attention

AT THE MEETING OF NOVEMBER 15

List of the Leading Lights to Attend

When the National Municipal League convenes for its fifth annual meeting at Columbus, O., on November 15th, the most important business to be transacted will unquestionably be the final adoption of the "Municipal Program," which in its revised and perfected shape represents the labors of seven of the League's ablest minds, covering a period of two years. The responsibility of providing a practical concept of American municipal government was not lightly undertaken. Realizing that the need existed, the committee entered on its work determined to present a broad basis for the reconstruction of governments in cities ripe for reform, and to this end the members have devoted their best efforts. The committee was appointed at the Louisville meeting, in 1897, in accordance with a resolution offered by Horace E. Deming of New York, which was unanimously adopted. Its members include Mr. Deming, chairman; Prof. Frank J. Goodnow of Columbia University; Dr. Albert Shaw of the Review of Reviews, New York; Charles Richardson of Philadelphia; Professor Leo S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania; George W. Guthrie of Pittsburg, and Clinton Rogers Woodruff of Philadelphia.

The committee was admirably chosen. It represents an unusual group of men, free from political prejudices of adequate and effective municipal government. All the research of the league has been at their disposal. They have profited by examples and instances gathered from every city of prominence in the United States. Perhaps no other seven men have had such opportunities of studying municipal conditions in this country, and the program shows that they had a clear insight into the sources of evil. In some respects the program embodies radical changes, but in others the remedy is so simple that one wonders political evils have been endured so long.

Unless an ideal municipality should spring up in a night no city is expected to at once forsake the old order of things and start a new era under the rule of the Municipal Corporation Act, drawn up by the committee. No legislature is expected to at once adopt the constitutional amendment which will change the status of cities within their borders, but the reforms outlined in those instruments will be gradually introduced, and the whole will be the definite object toward which reform movements will be directed.

Every intelligent American knows that the corruption and inefficiency in the rule of all the large cities of the United States is fostered by the form of government, which is calculated to confuse the people and destroy the effectiveness of their protest. Boss rule is made easy by a confusion of responsibility and an unwieldy system of government. The municipal program provides for such remedies as can be applied by legislation, and the American people may be depended on to utilize the remedies for their own good.

The proposed constitutional amendment and the municipal corporations act merit close study, as well as the explanatory papers prepared by members of the committee. The municipal program and all papers relating to it will be bound in one volume after adoption by the national municipal league, and will be distributed wherever good may be accomplished. The committee has endeavored to be concise and definite, but has not burdened the program with details that might apply in some cities and not in others. Wide freedom is given in the administrative organization of cities, but while any attempt at this time to outline the features of the proposed legislation would be futile, a glimpse of its purpose can be gained from a brief reference to its leading features.

The proposed constitutional changes are intended to guarantee local freedom and stability of government, but the municipal corporations act is of more immediate importance, because its essential features can be more easily adopted. Political responsibility is accepted as the guiding principle of reform, and as a logical application, unicameral municipal legislatures are recommended. The advantages of two chambers of municipal representatives are believed to be far outweighed by its disadvantages. The system of checks and balances which dominates the national government is believed to be out of place in cities where constitutions provide the checks and where responsible, positive action is wanted. The local legislature is conceived to be the standing committee of the body of citizens, and its election on a general ticket instead of by districts is advocated.

The term of office of councilmen is fixed at six years, and of the mayor at two years, but as one-third of the councilmen are to be elected at each mayoralty election, co-operation of the legislature with the administration is practically assured. The desirability of separating local from national and state elections is strongly emphasized. The system of municipal accounting is revised and perfected. Ample provision is made for civil service rules of an effective type. The sale of municipal franchises is practically prohibited by requiring a four-fifths vote of the members elected to councils and the mayor's approval, and stringent safeguards are set up to prevent the assessment of officeholders or the use of political influence in the securing of appointments. In order that citizens may have a choice of candidates unhindered by party lines, the nomination of candidates for elective municipal offices is to be by petition and not by convention.

Other important provisions are included in the act, which are absent or inadequate in present municipal governments. The effect of each one has been carefully studied by the committee, and it is believed that the municipal program prepared for the National Municipal League will bear the test of practical use. Good government is slow of achievement, but in presenting in concrete form a system free from known faults and calculated to minimize existing evils, the committee and the league have taken a long step toward that end.

Of the seven members of the committee on municipal program, Messrs. Deming, Guthrie and Woodruff are lawyers; Mr. Richardson represents the purely reform element; the academic and professional side is represented by Profs. Rowe and Goodnow, while Dr. Shaw supplied a wide knowledge of municipal conditions in this country and abroad. Some idea of the fitness of these men for the work they were selected to perform can be gained from a brief glance at their achievements.

Mr. Deming is a graduate of Harvard and a well-known New York lawyer. He was active in the old City Reform Club, in its successor, the City Club, and is counsel for the Civil Service Reform Association of New York. He was an active spirit in the framing of many of the reform laws now in force in his state, and is an indefatigable worker. His address before the Indianapolis meeting on the committee's report was a superb example of clear and cogent reasoning.

Prof. Goodnow, a graduate of Amherst occupies the chair of administrative law in Columbia university. He is the author of two works on administrative law and of two volumes on municipal corporations. Prof. Goodnow is a patient and thorough investigator and has accomplished practical results by directing many of his pupils to the field of municipal reform.

George W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, is also a college man and is one of the foremost constitutional lawyers in Pennsylvania. Three years ago he was chosen as their reform candidate for mayor of Pittsburg, and was defeated by a narrow margin. He has since been mentioned for governor of Pennsylvania and the United States senate, but he retired from active politics to devote his attention to his profession. In ability to state a legal proposition clearly and concisely Mr. Guthrie has few equals, and his services to the committee have been of great assistance.

Leo S. Rowe is professor of municipal administration in the university of Pennsylvania, of which institution, together with the University of Halle, Germany, he is a graduate. He is a frequent contributor to standard scientific periodicals on topics on which he is considered the best authority of the younger men. Prof. Rowe is also editor of the department of municipal affairs in the Annals of the "American Academy."

Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, is a man of long journalistic experience. At one time he was editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, but of late years he has been connected with magazine work. Two of his publications which have enjoyed a wide circulation are "Municipal Government in Great Britain" and "Municipal Government in Continental Europe."

Clinton Rogers Woodruff is a Philadelphia lawyer and, although still a young man, is one of the most active reformers in the city. He has twice been elected to the state legislature and is now serving his second term. Important reform bills have been framed by him, and in his legislative duties he is always quick to discover and oppose the underhand methods by which political leaders work their selfish purposes. Mr. Woodruff's private practice would compel a less industrious man to relax his activity for reform, but by utilizing all his time to the best advantage he manages to keep up with his work. He is counsel for the Municipal League of Philadelphia, and is closely identified with the other reform organizations of his city and state.

To the work of the committee, Charles Richardson of Philadelphia, added a thorough practical knowledge of the need for civil service reform. He was one of the civil service examiners during the term of Mayor Warwick and was considered one of the most valuable members of the board. Mr. Richardson has a rare skill in drafting papers, and his assistance in phrasing the program was of great service. He devotes his time and attention almost exclusively to public affairs. He is persistent and untiring in his work for reform, and it was in answer to his call that the first conference for good government was held, which afterward resulted in the founding of the National Municipal League. With every reform movement in Philadelphia Mr. Richardson has been actively indentified, and by his activity and sagacity has added to bring about the successes which occasionally demonstrate the power of the people to the politicians of Philadelphia.

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SOCIALIST PARTY

FREEZES OUT THE OLD PARTIES IN HAVERHILL.

The only party caucuses that can now legally be held for the nomination of candidates for the municipal election are those of the Socialist Labor party says the Haverhill Gazette, speaking of the situation in that city. Chairman M. T. Berry of that party, which is now entitled by the vote which it received last year, at the state election to recognition as a political party in the state has filed a petition for the use of the polling places on Thursday evening, Nov. 16. The last day for the filing of caucus and convention nominations is Wednesday, Nov. 22, and the time for filing nomination papers expires, the following Friday. The last day for the holding of conventions for the nomination of candidates is Monday, Nov. 20, and the caucuses must be held at least four days previous to that day. This is Thursday, Nov. 16. The two old-line parties, the republicans and democrats, have been calling caucuses under the state law and this provides that at least two weeks prior to the date for the holding of the caucuses, notice must be filed with the aldermen. As the last day for holding the caucuses, Thursday, Nov. 16, is taken by the Socialist Labor party, the other parties are now unable to call caucuses. The republican city committee met last evening but no action was taken on the holding of party caucuses, and the democratic city committee meets Friday evening, but as they cannot now get in the official two weeks notice, both will be prevented from nominating straight party tickets for the city election. The republican city committee, it is understood, favored the holding of party caucuses, but now as the time limit has expired, nominations will have to be made on nomination papers.

CLOSE OF FAIR.

The concluding night of the Primitive Methodist church fair brought out a large attendance last night and there was good business at the sales tables. Mr. Asa C. Russell presided and at the close he made a short speech in which he presented the society with a check for $25.

John Murphy, a well known young man of Centralville, has gone to Sacramento, Cal., for the benefit of his health.

Doubt Cannot Exist.

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There must be something stronger than imagination behind expressions of such representative citizens of Lowell as Mr. John C. Melleon, grocer and provision merchant at the corner of Bridge and Seventh streets, who says:

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at Paris. Both have been seen on American tracks.

The fall months are the ideal ones for cycling and it is a foolish wheelman indeed who does not get all the pleasure from them he possibly can. The air is invigorating and the scenery is more beautiful than at any other time of the year, there is none of the discomfort from heat and there is little rain and not much dust on the roads. As riders are usually in the best of condition at this time, it is not unwise to advise them to get as much riding in as they can, stopping, of course, before the danger point is reached. Even the early winter months are very enjoyable if the wheelman will take the precaution to dress well and have an extra garment or two to put on when dismounted. It is well to remember that the little inconvenience of carry a coat is worth several times over a case of a bad cold or possibly pneumonia.

It is understood that the Waverly factory at Indianapolis, Ind., will be largely used for the making of automobiles and bicycle parts the coming season.

ANOTHER DEAL

Louisville Club to Buy the Pittsburg Club

The base ball plot of 1899-1900 was thickened Wednesday by the announcement in a Washington paper that the deal of President Barney Dreyfuss of the Louisville club for the Pittsburg club has been practically consummated. This done, there is little doubt that the pick of the Louisville team will be transferred to Pittsburg, giving the latter city one of the strongest clubs in the country, made up very much as follows: Catchers, Zimmer, Bowerman, and Schriver; pitchers, Leever, Tannehill, Cunningham, Waddell and Phillippe; infield, Wagner, Ritchey and Williams on the bases; Leach, shortstop; outfield, Clarke, Beaumont and Dexter.

Then the Washington club has given an option until Nov. 4 to Michael B. Scanlan of that city. Mr. Scanlan has been interested in the movement to place an American association team in Washington. The option is given on condition that the league magnates assent to the transfer and include Washington in a circuit of twelve or eight clubs, as may be arranged.

With Mr. Dreyfuss in Pittsburg, the way to drop Cleveland ought to be easy. Then the trouble will be in the east. Baltimore would not be hard to rub off the league map as the new association is anxious to take that city, which does not belong to the high-priced circuit, anyway. That would leave nine clubs, Washington, would be the easiest and really is the only city to buy out.

The Boston people have insisted right along that they would not contribute a copper to buy out a club, so that a hitch would take place right there. There never was a time, however, when the 12-club league could be as well reduced to eight clubs as now.

The story about the placing of an American association club in Boston has caused a great stir there and Tommy McCarthy was fairly waylaid yesterday with questions about the new enterprise. Providence parties were closeted with Mr. McCarthy yesterday so that the project to place a club in that city is fairly under way, and it looks as if a delegate would be present at the meeting in New York on Saturday.

The people interested in the new organization have been working very quietly and as much under cover as possible and this has given the impression that there was nothing behind the movement. No one has had less to say than the secretary, Frank Hough, though privately he has expressed the greatest confidence in the success of the organization.

Al Spink, a well known St. Louis writer has been working with might and main in the West. Spink is a great admirer of Tom McCarthy, and will doubtless hail with delight the re-entree of the famous St. Louis favorite into base ball.

CYCLING NEWS

Secretary Sturmy of the International Cyclists' Union has declared that the recent 24-hour record established by Cordang, the Dutch cyclist, will not be recognized officially because the rider was under sentence of disqualification by one of the organizations affiliated with the I. C. A. Cordang does not seem to care about the official decree any more than do some of the Americans, who have broken records under the auspices of the N. C. A. The argument in both cases is that the feat was performed honestly, was well authenticated and has been recognized as a record-breaking performance by a great many persons in the world who never heard about Sturmey in London.

The fact that McDuffee's remarkable record rides were made behind a machine with windshield attachment has, in the yes of many, placed a new estimate upon them. In France all such records are put in a class by themselves and styled "wind-shield records." They class in the sport about the same as Charley Murphy's ride behind a railroad car. While legitimate performances, they prove the possibility of the man and the bicycle, but do not demonstrate the superiority of either the man or the machine over any others.

As the days of the "ordinary" recede further into history, there appears to be increasing interest in the holding of annual runs on such machines. Two New York clubs introduced features of the kind this season and news from Chicago is to the effect that the Chicago C. C., one of the largest cycling organizations in the country will have its ninth annual run or "ordinaries" on November 5th.

A three-mile race between a bicyclist and a gasoline motor carriage was run at the Kewanee, Ill., fair grounds recently. The wheelmen won by a few yards. It was a half mile track and the motor vehicle lost at the turns.

An automatic company has been organized in Hawaii with a capital of $2,000,000 and a charging plant costing $100,000 which is capable of supplying 100 vehicles a day. The company has purchased 20 electric conveyances.

Nat Butler, the handicap king, has decided to retire from racing, has opened a barber shop on Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, and proposes to settle down to business.

Tom Linton has been defeated three Sundays in succession by Edward Taylor

NEW ELECTRIC ROUTE.

At the hearing in the Danvers selectmen's room last week it was brought out that the proposed road from Middleton to Danvers was but a link in the system which is proposed.

The chief aim seems to be to connect the cities of Salem and Lynn with Lawrence and by a much more direct route than any which is now in operation. That there is need of electric communication between the north and south sections of the county is a recognized fact and if the new company steps in and builds its proposed road there is but little doubt of its being well patronized.

The route lays through a sparsely settled country, so that there is nothing to prevent the car from running at a good rate of speed. The run from Salem to Lawrence can be made, undoubtedly in a couple of hours and a little less than that time, or about twice the time taken by the steam cars. Salem and Danvers have but three trains a day to Lawrence and it seems as though there was a good opportunity for the new road to do some business. The ride would be a pleasant one, especially in summer and not a disagreeable one in winter if the road provides the fine, up-to-date rolling stock which it states it will. With the Lawrence and Haverhill, Georgetown and Danvers road in operation it would seem as though Danvers was destined to become quite a railroad centre.

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This Wonderful Life Reader is here for a short time. No matter how often you have been deceived by so-called fortune tellers, don't despair. This gifted lady will help you, no matter what your troubles are. Tells you of friends and enemies, gives names, lucky days, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call and be convinced. 109 Merrimack st. Hours from 2 till 9.

LADIES clean your kid gloves with La Belle Glove Cleanser. For sale only at the Bon Marche, Headquarters for kid gloves and sole agents for Worthelmers' famous gloves. Gloves fitted and warranted.

LEONA—Celebrated card reader and palmist, has returned, can be consulted on love, marriage and business at 7 Merrimack street, room 7.

DR. J. H. Burton of 101 Grand street has removed to 33 Jackson street.

SPOT Cash and highest prices for second-hand furniture at 463 Merrimack street. Tel. 656-4.

MRS. LAUGHLIN, late of New York, the wonderful seer, born with a double veil, can be consulted on all affairs of life, at 119 Merrimack street, for two weeks only. Hours from 10 to 10. Sittings, 50c. Card reading, 25c. Sittings by mail, $1.

TO LET—A convenient 4-room tenement. Inquire at 79 Chestnut street.

MONEY LOANED TO SALARIED PEOPLE AND RETAIL MERCHANTS, upon their own names, without security, easy payments. TOLMAN, room 30, Associate Building.

WE WILL EITHER Buy or store second hand furniture at No. 60 Charles street. When we buy we pay the highest price and make a specialty of antique pieces. Will be on premises every day from 2 to 6 p. m. E. O'Hoir, attorney.

RUBBER STAMPS — At wholesale prices. 1 inch one line stamps 10; 1½ inch 15c; 35c ink pads 25c; 25c ink pads 15c; 50c linen markers 25c; business stamps 15c. per line. J. M. Follows, 139 Merrimack street.

WATER CLOSETS and bath tubs from $5 up. All first class plumbing at lowest prices. J. H. Barry, 438 Market street.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

Madam Oler, the clairvoyant, the queen of all life readers, the most marvelous of all marvels, nothing like it ever witnessed before. Madam Oler is not to be thought of in connection with that class who use a real or nominal power of clairvoyants as a means of misleading or deceiving the public. No matter what troubles you may have with yourself, or others, come and she will guide you, she will advise you with a certainty by a higher than human power. Honest, fearless and capable, she is the foremost medium of the day. Her readings are most wonderful and of the highest order. The troubled and unfortunate should seek her counsel. Thousands long separated have been reunited by her efforts. Call and be convinced of her superior power. Advice on business, love and marriage, uniting the separated, restoring lost love, law suits, divorces, death. Not one failure. I am at the Bon Marche, Room 45. Take the elevator. From 9 to 9. Sundays, 2 till 9. $1.00 reading this week, 50c.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

Lowell, Nov. 3, 1899.

The copartnership heretofore existing between John W. Duncan and Douglas Firth, under the firm name of Duncan & Firth, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons who are indebted to said firm will make payment to John W. Duncan and all bills owed by said firm will be paid by said Duncan, who will conduct the business on his separate account.

JOHN W. DUNCAN,
DOUGLAS FIRTH.

DAILY BARGAINS.

$100

UPRIGHT PIANO.

Seven and one-third octaves. Used but little. Condition fine.

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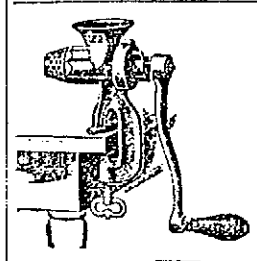

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The Latest and Best Sewing Machine is the

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Oak, Maple and Mahogany Wood Work. Sixteen Millions of these Machines have been sold.

Needles and Parts for all kinds of Machines. Old Machines taken in exchange.

The Singer M'f'g. Co., 175 Middlesex Street.

WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 511 Central street.

AGENTS WANTED—Big money. Call at 52 Thorndike street, Monday morning.

WANTED—Cooks, kitchen girls, table girls, general housework girls. Free ride in our carriage. Dodge, 153 Merrimack street, opposite Bon Marche.

WANTED—A first-class barber for Saturday at H. Vlancour, 8 Lakeview avenue.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms centrally located for light housekeeping. Address B, Sun Office.

WANTED—Girls at Pickering Knitting company, Middlesex street. Apply at once.

AGENTS WANTED—Big money. Call at 51 Thorndike street, Monday evening.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 119 Middlesex street.

HOUSEGIRL—An experienced housegirl can secure situation to do general housework by applying to G, Sun office.

$10 A DAY CAN BE MADE CLIPPING Horses with our New Bicycle Clipper Attachment. Fits any bicycle; price $5.75. Anyone can clip with it. Send for catalogue. It will pay young men to investigate this. Chicago Flexible Shaft Co., 153 Huron street, Chicago or 97 Chambers street, New York.

WANTED—A small farm or tract of land near Lowell in exchange for equity of $120 in a cottage block, 10 minutes to City Hall. Always rented. No brokers. Apply or write Lagasse, 341 Lakeview avenue.

WHAT have you to sell or trade? No brokers. Call or write. Lagasse, 341 Lakeview avenue.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at 57 Hancock street, Mass. corp.

WANTED—Situation in city or country as butler by a young man having had considerable experience in hotels in New York city. Address Cosmus Salamanis, 116 Dummer street.

WANTED—A respectable, middle-aged woman to keep house. Apply at 75 Union street.

WANTED—Good carriage wood worker. Apply at B. A. Stuveley's, Charles street.

WANTED—A girl to do general house work. Call at 151 Andover street. Call at once.

WANTED—A Good Wife—A gentleman with four children, ages 8, 10, 13 and 15, wishes to correspond with a good and respectable lady of about 35 or 40 years of age, has a good home in town and a farm in the country. Please write and send photo of self and state your circumstances. Address to Box 117, Copemish, Michigan.

WANTED—Stone masons and derrick men at once. Apply 54 Middlesex street, room 1, this afternoon or evening, W. H. Ward.

WANTED—Thomas Doms, 153 Merrimack street, opposite Bon Marche, wants reliable domestic help, all nationalities, white or colored.

WHEN you want a nice stiff hat and nice fit, come to De Lormo, 261 Middlesex street.

WANTED— Old and young men to bring their old hats to Delorme, the hatter, the only hatter in town where they make hats to order, 261 Midlesex street.

CALL AT GONZALES, the Cutler, 124 Gorham street, if you want a first-class razor or strap. He has the new Xavier razor which excels all others. Razors concaved and honed.

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TO LET—Two-room tenements. Inquire of Ephraim Brown, 79 Chestnut st.

TO LET—Boarding house of 14 rooms. Situated near Wamesit Power company. Apply to James Birtwell, 62 Whipple street.

TO LET—Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; steam heat, gas, hot water and bath. Corner Dane and Fletcher streets.

TO LET—Four-room flats, 634 Broadway.

TO LET—A pleasant room where the sun shines in all day, suitable for an invalid lady. Furnace heat, bath, hot and cold water, corner of Tolman avenue and Mammoth road. Rent reasonable. The lady of the house is a trained nurse.

TO LET—Some first-class tenements in all parts of the city. Apply to A. O. Detherrell, Room 8, Bon Marche Block.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A sky blue Scotch terrier dog, with lame hind foot, the toes growing together as result of accident when a pup. Reward at 372 Merrimack street.

LOST—A gray and white coon cat last Friday. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 80 Mammoth road.

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Watch for my ad. in this paper Monday.

Professor Arnold's fees are within the reach of all and it costs no more to consult him than it does those who are less competent.

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Cut this out. It does not appear every day.

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Just received, 1,700 pounds of fresh, kiln-dried loose hops.

Good for Hop Beer.
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These hops are strictly first class high-grade goods, raised and cured this year, on specially prepared ground, for home use, by an expert hop grower. Place your order at once, as the amount is limited.

STILES & CO.,

Charles and Central Sts., Lowell.

A COMBINATION
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Ladies' Box Calf Shoes in button and lace, $1.50

Ladies' Kid Shoes, tip of same, button and lace, $1.50

Ladies' Kid Shoes, patent leather tip, button and lace, $1.50

These are double sole shoes with medium toes and are the best shoes we ever offered at the price.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

TABLES ALWAYS POPULAR.

A new lot of those hard wood tables received, one with a pound of tea and coffee while they last. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 57 Merrimack street.

TOWN TOPICS.

Our new store is town talk and everybody who has occasion to buy floral designs, cut flowers or plants can do better with us than with anybody else, because we have the best that can be bought. Remember our only place of business is at No. 3 Merrimack Square, Runels' block and our telephone number is 53-3 and we please everybody. Patten & Roberts, Florists.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Steamship tickets to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of the world sold on the Cunard Dominion, White Star, American Anchor, Allan, French and German lines. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England and all parts of Europe. English sovereigns bought and sold at Murphy's, steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's Coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Hot advertising—Stanley's coal.

Have you had Pelham cigars?

Pocketbooks at Devine's, 88 Merk St.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's Telephone, 394-4.

50,000 samples given away. Zyno: Zyno. Great Mexican Tonic. Goodale's Drug Store.

"Coal as is Coal" at lowest prices, sold by D. T. Sullivan, 954 Gorham, 227 Central Sts. Tel. 713-2.

O'Connor's Dancing School, at 212 Merrimack street, Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoon.

Louis Alexander, the Central street tailor and his assistant, Paul O. Kubie, are turning out the finest dress suits ever turned out in the city of Lowell.

J. M. Spurr, custom shirt maker at 35 Shattuck street, announces that notwithstanding the disastrous fire of last week he is doing business as usual at the old stand.

Grand lecture on "The Transvaal," by Rev. Fr. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., formerly missionary of Transvaal and Orange Free State, at 7.30 p. m., Nov. 5th at Y. M. C. I. hall, on Stackpole street. Admission 25 cents.

The gigantic purchase of Winter Underwear by the Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., make it possible for them to sell at wholesale prices and in some instances less. The big sale commenced yesterday morning and progressed steadily all day. A lot of delighted customers was the result. Today large crows are expected but the management has prepared for an emergency with a much augmented force of salespeople to wait on the trade. This is without doubt the chance of a lifetime to buy Winter Underwear. Go early in the day if possible.

THE INSPECTORS

For County Election Have Been Appointed

A COMPLETE LIST IS GIVEN

One From Each Party for Each Precinct

The following is a list of the state inspectors for the coming election who were commissioned Nov. 1 to serve in this city:

DEMOCRATIC LIST.

WARD ONE.

Precincts.
1—Patrick Owens, 403 Bridge st.
2—Hugh McNeely, 2 rear 117 Lakeview ave.
3—William Hessian, 3 rear 133 Lakeview ave.

WARD TWO.

1—Frederick Cox, 283 Adams st.
2—David W. Carroll, 7 rear 110 Lowis st.
3—William Barry, 88 Adams st.

WARD THREE.

1—Bernard A. Connors, 3 Wiggin Pl.
2—Peter F. Brady, 320 Fletcher st.
3—George A. Kelley, 151 Branch st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Joseph T. Tuttle, 43 Kinsman st.
2—Dennis J. Cooney, 88 Linden st.
3—John J. McQuade, 40 Lyons st.

WARD FIVE.

1—William F. McCarthy, 37 Chapel st.
2—William Daley, Jr., 19 Richmond st.
3—Nicholas Soroghan, 33 Pleasant st.

WARD SIX.

1—Matthew Campbell, 18 Jewett st.
2—Dowers F. Hart, 39 Shedd st.
3—James P. McDonald, 207 Cumberland rd.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Owen Mulligan, 9 Bowers st.
2—Frederick F. Welch, 20 Rockdale ave.
3—Daniel J. Murphy, 133 Mount Hope st.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Edward F. Gormley, 31 Washington st.
2—Henry T. Sullivan, 392 Lincoln st.
3—James H. Gray, 23 Ellsworth st.

WARD NINE.

1—Terrence J. Cox, 634 East Merrimack st.
2—Patrick Hammersley, 43 Pond st.
3—William Sullivan, 456 Lawrence st.

REPUBLICAN LIST.

WARD ONE.

1—Samuel Hosmer, 42 Hamilton corp.
2—William H. Wilcox, 348 Bridge st.
3—Edmond Gosselin, 120 Lakeview av.

WARD TWO.

1—John J. Harrington, 91 Prince st.
2—William F. Leahy, 203 Dutton st.
3—John Barrett, 17 First st.

WARD THREE.

1—Joseph Provost, 30 Rock st.
2—George A. Bennett, 51 Marshall st.
3—James Smith, 23 Leroy st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Daniel Lawlor, 66 Appleton st.
2—Robert Burns, Jr., 4 Hale st.
3—Uriah H. Battye, 39 Prospect st.

WARD FIVE.

1—Hector Turnbull, 155 Stackpole st.
2—John P. Moore, 15 Richmond st.
3—George E. Tilton, Jr., 8 East Bleachery st.

WARD SIX.

1—John G. Jackson, 204 Tenth st.
2—Chas. G. Wellborenner, 67 Thirteenth st.
3—Adelard Guimond, 195 Ludlam st.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Rudolph L. Lupret, 466 Fletcher st.
2—William H. Pritchard, 56 Old Meadow road, West.
3—John Moir, 342 Mammoth rd.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Freeman S. Hersey, 123 Warwick st.
2—William A. Lang, 719 Chelmsford st.
3—Joseph Craig, 30 Congress ave.

WARD NINE.

1—Daniel J. Burke, 28 Fort Hill ave.
2—William E. Westall, 91 Mansur st.
3—George Emsley, 20 Weed st.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

THE POLITICAL FIELD

Democratic Chances are Brighter Than Ever

And the Local G. O. P. is Worried by Reason of Defection in All Sections—Straight Voting by by Democrats Assures Democratic Success

From now until next Tuesday politics will be red hot, for every candidate, democratic and republican, will put in his best and final efforts for success. The last Saturday before election sees a condition of affairs which augurs favorably for the democrats.

It finds the democratic party firmly united. In the first place, not, of course, united to a man, for there is always a certain small amount of cutting, but better united than it was last year, when three democrats were elected to the legislature. Unity is absolutely necessary for democratic success, and this applies to country voters as well as those in the city. The democrats in Chelmsford must vote for Quigley, Rourke and McNabb in order to elect any one of them. It will not do to vote for Quigley alone, for the two blanks cast will mean two half votes for the republicans. The democrats of Tyngsborough and the other towns in the 27th district cannot afford to vote for Sparks and not for Riordan, for every blank recorded means half a vote for the republicans on the ticket and Sparks last year won by only four votes. On the other hand, the voters of wards 1, 7 and 8, the first two particularly, cannot expect success if they vote for Rourke and McNabb and not for Quigley. There is some talk that the democrats of wards 4 and 7 will vote for McKinley, Rourke and McNabb, but such would be fatal to all three and would mean the election of the three republicans, and the democrats, knowing this, are not going to sacrifice their candidates' chances by cutting the ticket. A well-known republican residing in ward 7, who is not a "pipe dreamer," made the statement to The Sun reporter that if the democrats of the entire 25th district will vote straight for their three men they will have a chance to elect all three democrats. The man who made the statement is a man of reliability, and even if it is an exaggeration there will be two if not three democrats elected in the 25th district if the democrats vote straight.

And the above statements are not extravagant when one considers the situation on the other side.

Take McKinley, for instance. He will barely carry ward 7, if he carries it at all, because of his record at city farm. The manner in which he ousted Richardson is not forgotten.

Then there's Mr. Watson, who assisted Ramsay twice in robbing Chelmsford of her rights. Ramsay without Watson and his ward 8 followers could have effected nothing, and the voters of Chelmsford are aware of the fact and will give it to Mr. Watson "in ze neck," while the labor men will remember that Watson worked against the measure for the investigation of the Marlboro strike.

And the third man, Mr. Robbins of Chelmsford, who worked against the movement to establish a cemetery for the French in that town. The French voters of ward seven are out against Mr. Robbins, as a result, and there is a movement against him in ward eight on account of the feeling left over from last year.

Thus each republican candidate in the 25th district will be cut, but as the defection is not concerted no particular democrat is known to be the favored one, and it is thus absolutely necessary that every democratic voter in the district votes the straight ticket.

In the 27th district there is some talk, probably for effect, that the city democrats will vote for Riordan and Ames, but prominent ward 5 and 9 democrats who understand the situation thoroughly state positively that there is no defection in the democratic ranks, and Mr. Robbins of Carlisle and Col. Ames, who registers from "Boston," when out of town, will go down, while Riordan and Sparks will be elected.

The situation in the 26th district is more hopeful than ever. The democrats are united to a man for Mansfield, Barry and McCarthy, but on the other hand we find Mr. Varney the foe of organized labor asking for office in a district made up almost exclusively of laboring people and of that there is more further along. Then there is Mr. Cluer, who tried to defeat Hanson until he was caught at it when he suddenly became a red hot republican and last among them is Mr. Dobbins, who says "You know, I'm a republican," in order to firmly establish the fact.

So much for the representatives.

In the senatorial field Putnam defeated John L. Hunt, by 600 votes or thereabouts. But this year there are two different candidates and Hanson is not Putnam and Pearson is not Hunt. Pearson is one of the best vote getters that this city has ever produced, while his opponent is one of the poorest. Pearson is handling personally, while Hanson depends on his friends, and his friends have fights of their own to contest.

Marcellus H. Fletcher is doing considerable work in the councillor field, and if the laboring people support him having denounced Councillor Howe, the man who caused the great suffering of the Marlboro shoe workers in the Marlboro strike, there is every prospect of him winning. The only way in which the laboring people can defeat Councillor Howe is by voting for Marcellus H. Fletcher. If they cast a blank, Howe will still be elected; if they vote for a third candidate, he will also be elected, but if they join with the democrats and vote for Marcellus H. Fletcher, Howe can be defeated.

Councillor Howe has issued a pamphlet on the Marlboro strike for the purpose of booming his candidacy. It is a lengthy affair and appeals only to the enemies of labor. In this pamphlet I find extracts from a speech made by Mr. Howe at a dinner of the New England Shoe and Leather association in Boston, December 21, 1899, and I commend it to the careful consideration of every organized labor man in the district, as follows:

"The one thing I wish to speak about is this unrest of the laboring people. In the beginning there was some idea of organization of the laboring people to protect their interests. I can remember when laborers had to take orders for their work drawn on certain stores where the profit was unreasonably large on the goods; they could get no money except by selling these orders. Today by law the laborer is protected in almost every right that he could be expected to be protected in. He gets weekly payments; there are no orders; there is no chance and no disposition to take undue advantage of labor, and yet from the day he started the organization up to today, these organizations have been growing, little by little, more tyrannical, until today the organization under which shoe workers are laboring has become so tyrannical that the workmen have no right to make personal contracts with the employer. Every effort of mine and my associates is to make the work of the laboring man easy—to improve his condition in every way we can, and altogether to conduct our business in such a way that he will indirectly receive the same benefit from it that we do. And yet they are under an organization which precludes the possibility of my being on intimate terms with those in my employ.

"I have preached more for the past few years to the laboring people at home to try to convince them that the shoe business is like any other legitimate business, governed by the inflexible law of supply and demand, and that their employment depends upon whether I can make a shoe for a cent less than I sell it, and lay by something to carry me through disastrous times. The agents of the union tell me you cannot make the men believe it. Because the agents can't make them believe this is the truth, we are going to try to have them tell our story to the people. We are going to talk to the men ourselves, and, God helping, we will do it (applause); we are not asking from any man anything except what we are willing to grant ourselves. We are going to do this because it is a matter of absolute right. That is what we are standing for in Marlboro, and it is of essential value to every shoe manufacturer of Massachusetts; and while we don't ask any financial aid in our struggle, it does please us when any man lets us know that he appreciates the value of the service that we are rendering to the trade of Massachusetts. (Applause.) It is the spirit of right which animates us, and any man who has the time to say to Mr. Rice, Mr. Frye, Mr. O'Connell or Mr. Howe that they appreciate the work that is being done, it gives us courage to go on and do the thing we are trying to do—break the fetters which bind our workmen to our local labor organizations."

Editor of The Sun:

Will you please give me space in your valuable paper to inform the voters of ward four that Thomas J. Sheehan, the well known plumber with Drury & Green is still a candidate for Overseer of the Poor. A number of his friends think he has withdrawn. This is not true. Mr. Sheehan is still in the field and I am sure that he will be elected to the office for which he is running.

Mr. Sheehan is a very popular young man. He is a member of the Burkes, Foresters, Sacred Heart Lyceum and Wentworth Social Club. He has lived in this ward all his life and is known to all the democrats. If the democrats of ward four nominate Mr. Sheehan his election will surely follow.

WARD FOUR VOTER.

"Break the fetters which bind our local workmen to their labor unions."

This is Mr. Howe's great life-work to break up organized labor and yet Representative Varney, the president of the Plush Workers' union of this city voted against an investigation of his methods of breaking it up. Will the laboring people vote for Howe? They say not. But if they do not, how can they consequently vote for Varney, who assisted Howe in his work of breaking up organized labor, nor can they conscientiously vote for Cluer, or Watson, who assisted Howe in "pressing down the crown of thorns upon the brow of labor."

But getting down to municipal affairs, Mr. Daniel McVey, formerly president of the nice farmer's Fagan Debating society, which brought the present city messenger into public life, is a candidate for the common council in ward five. Mr. McVey having labored for years in the interest of other candidates is now going into the field for himself so his friends say. Mr. McVey is known to every one in the ward and to know him, his friends say, is to vote for him. A sterling democrat, a gentleman, a scholar, and a born orator, his chances for success seem to be particularly bright.

Councilman John J. Roarke, who seeks a third term in the common council from ward four feels confident that with his fine record behind him he will have no difficulty in attaining his ambition.

Mr. J. Frank Clark, candidate for the common council in ward five is being predicted a winner.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Officers and Members of Prosperity Circle, No. 158, C. of F. of A.

By order of Supreme Executive Committee you are hereby notified to attend a special meeting of said Circle, to be held in Foresters' hall, Middle street, on Monday evening, Nov. 6, 1899, at 7.30 o'clock.

EDITH W. PIERCE, Sup. State Deputy.

Horse Stable Blankets at lower prices than ever known before. A good Stable Blanket for 88c, a good Street Blanket for $1.39 at Thompson Hardware Company's store.

Mr. Daniel Harrington, one of the proprietors of the Sinclair House of Bethlehem, N. H., is in Lowell for a few days, the guest of Mr. Warren Fox.

SORE FEET

Cured by corns, bunions, or callouses quickly cured by using WAKEFIELD'S FIR BALSAM SALVE. Price 25c.

Goodale's Drug Store, cor. Central and Jackson Streets

Half good won't do!

A "may-cure" cough medicine won't do. If it will "perhaps" do its work, it's worse than worthless. If it's good, it's worth ten times its price.

Do you know where to draw the line between the good and the bad? This testimonial should help

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could not find any relief whatever. My little girl read about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral being such a wonderful remedy for coughs, so I bought a bottle. It relieved me at once. Before I had taken a quarter of a bottle my cough was entirely cured. I think it is the most wonderful cough mixture ever known."—L. HAWN, Newington, Ont., May 3, 1899.

Your doctor or druggist will hear us out. Three sizes: $1.00 size, cheapest in the long run; 50c. size, just the thing for a cold that "hangs on"; 25c. size, for an ordinary, mean, disagreeable cold.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS

(Continued from Page Six.)

Sharkey's head, presumably thinking it too hard, and continued making plays for his body.

In the general mixup for the first three rounds Jeffries had all the better of it. Sharkey began roughing matters in the third round, and banged Jeffries pretty hard in the clinches, holding him with his right and forcing him into a corner with his forearm across his throat.

During the mixup which followed, Jeffries shot his right up under Sharkey's guard, catching him under the chin and dropping him. The sailor remained down, partly dazed, for the first few seconds until I had counted nine, when he arose and stood looking a bit queer. He rushed to a clinch as quickly as possible, and was met with another stiff right-hander under the heart.

It looked bad for Sharkey for two or three rounds after that, Jeffries' heart blows began to tell. He stuck gamely to his work, however, roughing it repeatedly, forcing his elbow across Jeffries' throat, getting his arms around his head and choking him and ramming his head into Jeffries' body.

Jeffries' seconds claimed foul repeatedly, and I was compelled to caution Sharkey quite often. It seemed that every time he was hit he went into it bulldog fashion, banging any old way, and roughing it as much as possible in the clinches. Several times during the fight he hit Jeffries alongside the head after the bell had sounded.

He seemed to become stronger after about the 10th round, and Jeffries, it seemed to me, was becoming weaker. Still, there was not much force in the blows of either. Sharkey swung his left at Jeffries' head time and again, and landed across his neck oftener with his forearm than he did with his glove. While he was doing this, Jeffries kept sticking out his left, reaching Sharkey's face. These blows, it appeared to me, were overlooked by the spectators, who appeared to see only Sharkey's swings.

Sharkey, it struck me, was the stronger of the two around the 14th and 15th round, and had a shade the better of the fighting. I thought, though, that Jeffries might have been holding back, as he would come with a spurt, quite often landing hard.

About this time Jeffries' nose was cut. No doubt a number of the spectators, and probably Sharkey himself, thought he did it with a blow, but it was done with his head. Jeffries stepped in to avoid a blow, and at the same time Tom went in head first and struck him on the nose.

During these rounds Jeffries lay on quite often, but Sharkey offended also by roughing it, hitting Jeffries on the body with his head and getting the strangle hold on him, using the latter to good effect.

The fighting up to this time, considering the advantage that Jeffries had gained in the early part of the fight and the margin in Sharkey's favor after that, was about equal, with, of course, Sharkey receiving the most severe punishment. After that it tamed off a bit, both leading with lefts, Jeffries making good use of his long left.

It was still anybody's fight. Jim braced up after the 20th round and had a shade the better of it for two rounds, although Sharkey would slam in one occasionally. The last three rounds were all in favor of Jeffries, who came with a rush, peppered Sharkey severely, uppercut him repeatedly with his right and had the sailor looking a bit queer.

The 24th round was all Jeffries'. He went at Sharkey heavily, and did the most execution with his right on the body and the head, though he did not overlook letting the left go now and then.

Sharkey, in the meantime was idle. He kept close to his man, and, while he did not land often, avoided a great number of blows by keeping inside or Jeffries' left and right. It looked bad for Sharkey about this time, and here is where stamina and endurance showed. He stuck to his work gamely.

In the 25th round both came up fairly strong, and both went at it hard. Jeffries continued his uppercutting, but, unfortunately, toward the end his glove came off, and before I could replace it the gong sounded, calling the end of the round and the fight.

Summing up the fight as a whole, I consider that Jeffries did the cleaner work, while Sharkey roughed it, hit low repeatedly, beside fouling by hitting several times after the bell had rung.

GEORGE SILER.

BOTH MEN'S RECORD

The following are the ring records of Sharkey and Jeffries:

SHARKEY'S RECORD.

1894.
April—Knocked out Jack Langley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.
May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. Three rounds.
May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. One round.
June—Knocked out Nick Burley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.
July—Knocked out George Washington at Honolulu. Two rounds.
July—Knocked out Billy Tate at Honolulu. Four rounds.

1895.
August—Knocked out Sailor Brown at Vallejo, Cal. Two rounds.
August—Nick Mulvihill, at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1896.
April 16—Won from Joe Choynski, San Francisco. Eight rounds.
June 28—Fought a draw with James J. Corbett at San Francisco. Four rounds.
December 2—Won from Bob Fitzsimmons on foul at San Francisco. Eight rounds.

1897.
June 5—Fought a draw with Peter Maher at New York. Seven rounds.
November 18—Won from Joe Goddard at San Francisco. Six rounds.

1898.
November 11—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Eight rounds.
May 6—Lost to James J. Jeffries at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.
June 29—Knocked out Gus Ruhlin at Coney Island. One round.
November 12—Won from Jim Corbett on a foul at New York. nine rounds.

1899.
January 16—Knocked out "Kid" McCoy at New York. Ten rounds.
Nov. 3.—Lost to Jim Jeffries. Twenty-five rounds.

JEFFRIES' RECORD.

1897.
April 9—Knocked out T. Van Buskirk at San Francisco. Two rounds.
May 19—Knocked out Dick Baker at San Francisco. Nine rounds.
July 17—Fought a draw with Gus Ruhlin at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.
November 20—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1898.
February 28—Won from Joe Goddard at Los Angeles, Cal. Four rounds.
March 22—Won from Peter Jackson at San Francisco. Three rounds.
April 22.—Won from Pete Everett at San Francisco. Three rounds.
May 6—Won from Thomas Sharkey at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.
August 5—Won from Bob Armstrong at New York. Ten rounds.

1899.
June 9—Knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons at Coney Island. Eleven rounds.
Nov. 3.—Won from Tom Sharkey at Coney Island. Twenty-five rounds.

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DROPPED DEAD

DAVID KENDALL, SON OF LATE JONATHAN KENDALL OF THIS CITY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—David Kendall, 34 years of age, member of the New York branch of the firm of Kendall & Co., paint manufacturers of Boston, dropped dead in the corridor of the Hotel Cadillac at 8.30 yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by heart disease. Mr. Kendall appeared to be in robust health.

He was a son of the late Jonathan Kendall, paint manufacturer of Lowell, Mass.

The body will be shipped to Boston.

MEETING OF IRISHMEN.

A meeting of local Irishmen, interested in the work of Lord Mayor Tallon and John E. Redmond toward establishing a Parnell monument fund, will be held in the Washington Tavern tomorrow afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to have the distinguished Irishmen address the Irish of Lowell.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

A business and social meeting of the Lowell High school alumni was held in Union hall last night. President A. E. Ellis presided. Only routine business was transacted. The following program was carried out:

Piano solo, Miss Jane C. McKinley; vocal solo, Mr. John Coyne; reading, Miss Mary Falvey, quartette, Misses E. M. Graham, Annie Poulson and Messrs. E. J. Webster and John Coyne; speech, Mr. A. E. Ellis; solo, Miss Paulson; stump speech, Frank Rowsley; solo, Miss Falvey; remarks, E. J. Webster.

The concluding hour was spent singing college songs and other forms of social amusement.

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2

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3

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HARVARD LEADS

The Crimson Players Rubbing it in to the U. of P.

Scored a Touch Down in First Half—Two More Touch Downs and Goal in Second Half

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 4.—The football warriors of the University of Pennsylvania and of Harvard met on the gridiron of Franklin Field today and engaged in their annual struggle for the glory of their respective colleges. For weeks both football squads have been trained and drilled for this particular game and when they tumbled on to the field today amid the shouts of thousands of people they were fit to do battle to the last ditch. Both elevens have been through hard battles this season,but it was expected that they would prove small affairs when compared with the struggle of today. Harvard took the field and faced Pennsylvania with a clean record as to the victories and with only a single blot in the matter of points scored against her. Pennsylvania, however, whose career this season has been distressing to all of her followers lined up with a record of two defeats and two tie games. Her defeats had been bitter doses and she hoped to retrieve herself by snatching a victory from Harvard.

Harvard began the game with more confidence than she had ever had in a game against Pennsylvania. That the Crimson would win was considered beyond question by her followers. Harvard's success on the football enclosure outshines that of any of the other members of the "Big Four" and that she would show today to great advantaday was conceded by many followers of the red and blue.

The misfortune did not dishearten Old Penn and judging by the work of the men during the past week it was expected that the team would show all the fire and spirit of the Pennsylvania of old. The Quakers, unlike their rivals did not go into the game confident of victory, but they were filled with grim determination to do their best.

Their offensive play had improved considerably duing the past week. Although the hard rain fell all day yesterday and last night, the day broke clear and bright, with a warm sunshine promising an ideal day for football as far as the spectators were concerned. The usual big crowd went out to see the contest and as early as noon the followers of the Crimson and the Red and Blue began wending their way to the grounds. The national exposition is located opposite the football grounds and as Saturday is a big day at the show, travel in the direction of the counter attractions was badly congested.

The following is the lineup of the teams together with the weight of the men:

Pennsylvania		Harvard
Potter, 153, le.		le, Campbell 170
Shover, 176, lt		lt, Donald, 185
Hare, capt., 195, lg.		lg, Boal, 195
Overfield, 186, c		c, Burnett, 222
Tens, 188, rg		rg, Burden, (capt.) 198
Wallace, 198, rt		rt, Lawrence, 175
Coombs, 182, re		re, Hallowell, 161
Outland, 185, qb		qb, Daly, 151
Kennedy, 164, lhb		lhb, Savin, 162
McCracken, 187, rhb		rhb, Kendall, 179
Barnerd, 155, fb		fb Reid, 176

Paul Dashiel of Lehigh umpired the game and McClung, also of Lehigh, was referee.

The Pennsylvania team which has spent the last three days at Atlantic City, arrived home at noon and went

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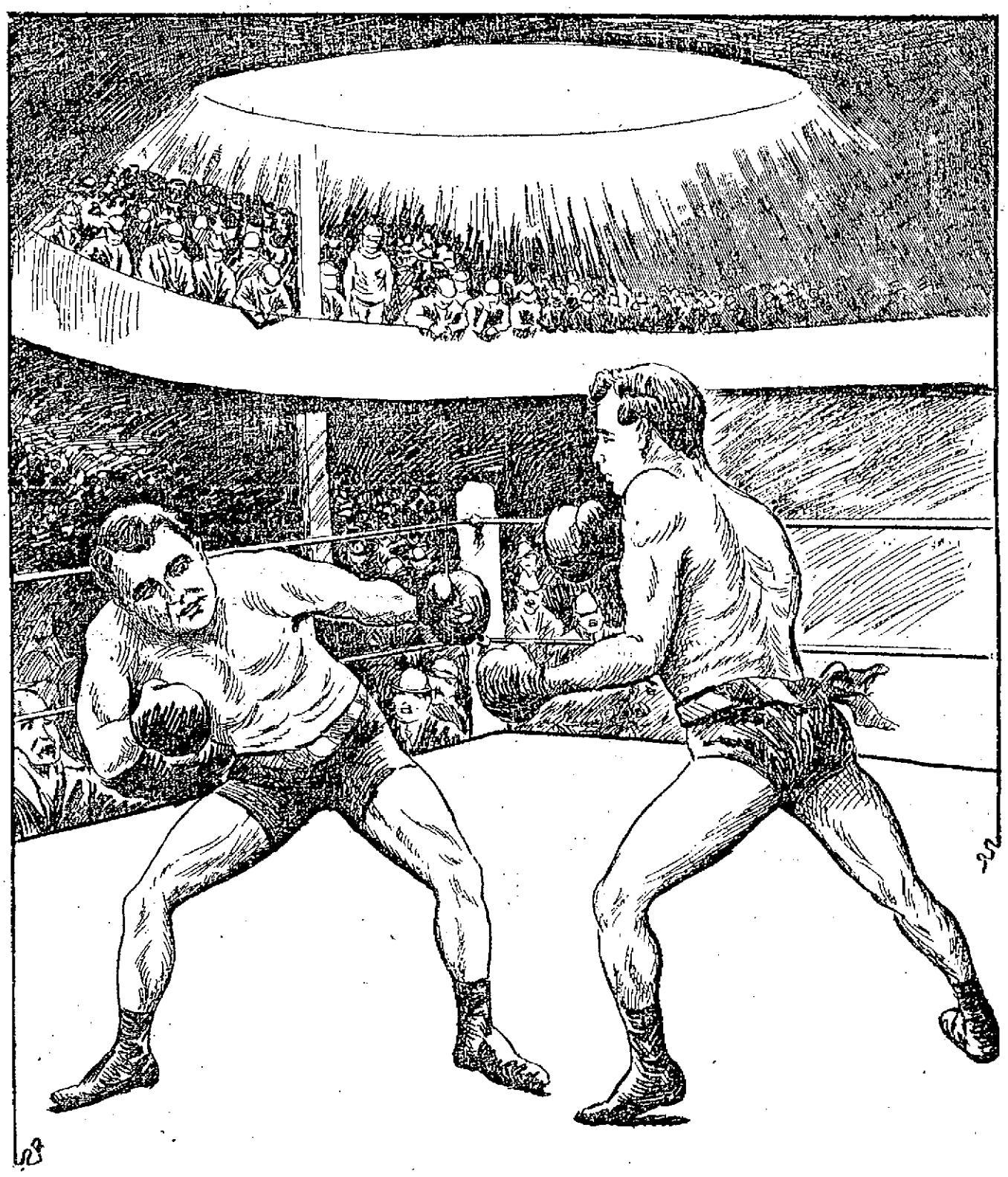

CHAMPION JEFFRIES AND TOM SHARKEY AS THEY APPEARED IN THE RING LAST NIGHT.

Drawn by Roberts, from Description Telegraphed from the Ringside to The Sun.

In One of the Hottest Fights on Record—Jeffries Had the Best of it in Most of the Rounds and Was Awarded the Decision on Points—The Fight by Rounds and the Referee's Opinion

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONEY ISLAND, Nov. 4.—James J. Jeffries, the California boiler maker, is still the champion of the world, having been awarded the decision against Tom Sharkey after the greatest fistic battle of modern times.

Jeffries won on points. At the end of the 25th round, Referee George Siler gave him the decision, deciding him to be the better boxer and ring general though the decision caused considerable dissatisfaction because Sharkey was clearly the aggressor in 20 of the 25 rounds and did nearly all the leading. In the first two rounds, Jeffries belted Sharkey all over the ring and it looked like another case of exploded phenom., but then Tom O'Rourke laid down the law to the sailor and for 20 consecutive rounds after that, Sharkey was the better man. In the 22d round, Jeffries suddenly took on new life and from then to the finish hammered Sharkey at will and had him in a bad way. Had the fight been a finish one it would have been all off with the Sailor, while had Jeffries not lost a glove in the final round it is not improbable that he would have finished Sharkey within the limit. Throughout Jeffries was careful and took no chances while Sharkey fought with bull dog tenacity throughout and was confident to the very end.

O'Rourke said after the fight that two of Sharkey's ribs were broken, but Sharkey evidently didn't believe it. It was one of the most marvelous battles that have ever taken place and the greatest crowd that ever gathered in the Coney Island house witnessed the desperate struggle for supremacy.

In five rounds Jeffries had the better of the fight in the first two and in the last three. During the other twenty, Sharkey forced the issue and like a bull terrier was at his man with both hands unceasingly. In those twenty rounds, Jeffries' great weight and brawn helped him to hold off the Sailor and in the twenty-second round he swung a couple of vicious uppercuts that made Sharkey groggy. Tom came back again in the 24th and 25th but he was weakened greatly by Jeffries' vicious blows. One minute before the gong sounded to end the fight, Jeffries' left glove came off and practically the contest was over.

The referee motioned to Jeffries' corner so an American flag was thrown around the champion's shoulders the crowd on that side and end of the arena cheering wildly. The crowd on the opposite side and end near Sharkey's corner, yelled for Sharkey and the men were led back to their dressing rooms.

The thousands of spectators were banked 40 feet high around the building and the place was packed from ringside to rafters. The aisles around the ring were lined. The tremendous crowd sweated under the glare of 400 arc lights, 15 feet or less from the canvas of the squared circle. The heat was intense. The fighters were almost exhausted and the spectators shrieked themselves hoarse.

It seemed at first as though it would be a short fight, for in second round Jeffries put the sailor to the ropes with a left on the jaw and the referee began to call off the seconds as Sharkey knelt on the floor. But from the third round on, Sharkey with his vicious swings to the ribs and the jaw, kept the crowd on its feet waiting for a knockout.

Jeffries stood the terrific punishment and with his eye, nose and ear split came back just as viciously in the last three rounds and almost retrieved himself. Then came the unfortunate and unsatisfactory ending. Jeffries' glove flying off, bringing the fight to an end although the crowd urged Sharkey to rush in and end it. This he tried to do but Jeffries fought him back and referee Siler rushed to the rescue. It was noticeable that Jeffries used his weight to its best advantage throwing himself all over the sailor; but the latter did his share of the hugging, too, and both were warned repeatedly.

Ten thousand spectators gathered around the ringside. Though Coney Island was swept by a gale the cars came down crowded to the guards in a swiftly moving line and sports waded knee deep to the narrow entrances leading to the arena.

A preliminary event of 10 rounds at 153 pounds preceded the big event. Kid Goulette of Rochester, who looked a great deal like Jeffries on a small scale, was beaten by Tommy Moran of Brooklyn. Then after half an hour's delay, Tom Sharkey could be seen making his way through the crowd. He was well received but Jeffries was cheered to the echo. Sharkey had on green trunks with an American flag for a belt while the champion wore black. Jeffries had behind him Billy Delaney, Ernest Roeber, Tommy Ryan and his brother, Jack Jeffries.

Sharkey was led to the southwest corner by Tom O'Rourke and was attended by George Dixon, Morris Kelly and Tim McGrath, O'Rourke superintending the entire procedure.

George Siler refereed. Jeffries weighed 212 pounds and Sharkey 25 pounds less, but the latter looked to be in better condition.

The betting at the start was 100 to 70 on Jeffries.

They shook hands and shaped up well. Jeffries led and then landed several times. He was generally over or under. On the other hand the sailor was wild, going into the fight with both hands and swinging wildly, but he did not land the first blow.

In the second Sharkey was flopping around and he came in for a nasty left that rolled him over. It looked then as though Sharkey was clearly outclassed.

O'Rourke, however, gave the sailor a talking to, and to the amazement of all, Sharkey swung home on Jeffries' ribs

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THE SUN EXTRA

BLOWN TO PIECES

A Railroad Station Entered by Robbers

THE MEN GOT ABOUT $3.00

Two Men Arrested on Suspicion

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEWPORT, Vt., Nov. 4.—A message was received here from Rock Island, Que., today stating that Rock Island station of the Boston & Maine railroad was entered by burglars during the night. The safe was charged with dynamite and blown to pieces. All the windows in the building were blown out, and the station was badly shattered. A portion of the safe was blown through the roof, and the safe door was found some distance from the depot. The robbers found only three dollars among the wreckage, the rest of the money being in possession of the station agent and taken to his home yesterday. The authorities have arrested two men on suspicion, and they are held pending an investigation of their movements.

GEN. LUDLOW

IS COMING HOME FROM HAVANA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Brig. Gen. Ludlow, governor of the city of Havana, cabled today to the war department, stating that he would leave for Washington today. The coming of Gen. Ludlow at this time is understood to involve more than usual interest. At the adjutant-general's office it is stated that the trip is for family reasons, and will be of brief duration. But in other reliable quarters it is said General Ludlow comes at the request of the higher authorities here, and that the conferences he will hold with the president and Secretary Root are likely to have considerable bearing on the question of appointing a civil governor for Cuba, or a successor to General Brooke as military governor.

INSURGENT FLEET

REPORT OF ITS DESTRUCTION NOT CREDITED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KINGSTON, Ja., Nov. 4.—Columbian advices dated October 31, and private direct advices contradict the story received over censored cables of the destruction of the Colmbian insurgent fleet which now resolves itself into the capture of a few small boats conveying 200 insurgents, of whom 20 were killed. The others escaped ashore. A great battle was fought October 30, ten miles outside of Barranquilla, and resulted in the defeat of the government forces with the loss of 300 killed and 100 wounded. The army was routed and its equipment captured.

A vessel has arrived at Barranquilla from Curacoa with 600 insurgent reinforcements and a quantity of arms and munitions. The revolution is spreading rapidly.

LIEUT. EGERTON PROMOTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Gunnery Lieutenant Egerton of the British cruiser Powerful, who was wounded by the explosion of a shell at the bombardment of Ladysmith, has been promoted to the rank of commander for services in the field. His legs have been amputated as a result of his wounds. The officer is a nephew of the Duke of Devonshire.

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THE SUN LATEST! 5 O'CLOCK

HE TOOK POISON

Erwin McKee Committed Suicide Yesterday

AT HIS HOME ON D STREET

Deed Attributed to Despondency

Edwin McKee, 39 years old and secretary of Highland Council, Royal Arcanum, and a well known citizen committed suicide yesterday between 11 o'clock and noon by taking poison. McKee drank cresolene which contains a large per cent. of carbolic acid and the unfortunate man drank the contents of a two-ounce bottle. The deed is attributed by his family and friends to despondency on account of his inability to secure employment.

He has been out of employment and seeking a position for the last two months. Mr. McKee was for fourteen years shipping clerk for Mr. Nichols at his produce market on Market street. He left Mr. Nichols about a year and a half ago and has not been employed steadily anywhere since. He worked a few months for the Boston and Maine company at the Western avenue freight station and resigned his position several weeks ago on the expectation of taking a more lucrative one with another company. The better position, however, failed to materilize, hence his despondency.

Thursday he procured a position in one of the mills but it was not to his liking. He worked Thursday and at night was very cheerful. Friday morning, Mrs. McKee called her husband and served his breakfast before he went to work. Mr. McKee did not eat a hearty breakfast and while not appearing so cheerful as he did the night before, Mrs. McKee little thought that any intention of self destruction was wrangling in his brain and she is confident that her husband's rash act was not premeditated but was committed in a moment.

Mrs. McKee and her mother came down town Friday morning about 10 o'clock to do some shopping and when nearing the Middlesex street station, Mrs. McKee noticed her husband standing near the station. She approached him and without asking any questions kindly said: "Erwin, I wish you would go right up to the house. I left Harry and Ella alone and they will be lonesome." Mr. McKee said he would go right home and he did.

On reaching the house he said to Harry, the second oldest boy: "I saw your mother down street and she will be home in a little while." Little Ella was playing on the floor and her father took her in his arms and kissing her put her down again and went up stairs. Ella, who had been in Bedford with her grandmother for three weeks had not seen much of her papa of late and after he had been gone a few minutes she started up stairs calling for him. He came to the head of the stairs and told Ella to be a good little girl and not come any further. "Be quick and come down, papa," said little Ella as she retraced her steps down the stairs.

A half hour elapsed when Harry and Ella who were playing together on the floor were startled by hearing some one fall in one of the rooms upstairs. Neither of the children went upstairs, as they thought their father had probably slipped and fell while reaching for something. He resumed his play with Ella but in another few minutes he heard his father fall again and this time he knew the thud which he heard came from the bath room.

He ran upstairs and opening the bath room door part way he saw the body of his father on the bath room floor. Harry is only 11 years old and it is not surprising that he was afraid and ran downstairs screaming. Alexander, the oldest boy, was visiting across the street and Harry went after him.

When Alexander arrived he went immediately to the bath room and found his father unconscious on the floor. The little fellow later said that his father appeared to be choking and he stooped down and released his father's collar and shirt. He said his father tried to speak to him but he was too far gone. Alexander went into an adjoining room and getting a pillow placed it under his father's head. He then went to the nearest telephone and summoned Dr. Field. Mr. McKee was yet alive when the doctor arrived but he was beyond the help of human aid and died a few minutes later.

Besides his wife and children he is survived by his father and one sister. His father is now in Boston and will not know of his son's death until some time today.

PROF. WOODBRIDGE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Nov. 4—Luther Dana Woodbridge, professor of anatomy and physiology in Williams college, died here of heart failure yesterday morning.

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FIVE MISSING

MEN PROBABLY LOST IN MOTT STREET FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4—The large fire in Mott street yesterday destroyed more lives than was at first supposed. There was a gathering of men employed in the building today and it was learned that three men supposed to be safe could not be found. Roger Di Pasca, 21 years old, who was reported missing last night, turned up all right. The revised list of missing is as follows:

John R. Weir, superintendent of the Manhattan Bed company.
Michael Conlan, engineer.
Charles Smith, packer.
Albert Bush, burnisher.
Max Albin, riveter.

Weir, Bush and Albin were at work on the third floor of the building when the fire was discovered. It is probable that they were suffocated. Smith and Conlan, the engineer, were in the basement.

BIG FIRE

DESTROYED A FOUNDRY PLANT AT EAST BRAINTREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EAST BRAINTREE, Mass., Nov. 4.—The worst fire that has occurred here for several years partially destroyed the Victor Metal and Foundry company's plant, early this morning. Three men were injured and the loss is estimated at $10,000 partially insured.

The injured are:

Ex-Chief F. O. Whitmarsh, received several severe cuts on the head and face from falling into an eight-foot vat and was taken out unconscious.

District Engineer Battles, right thigh severely wrenched by falling into the vat.

District Engineer Kelley, overcome by smoke and severely cut over the right eye by falling.

ROYAL ARCANUM NOTES.

Next Tuesday evening Lowell council will play a return game of whist with Highland Council at their hall. The same teams will play as before.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 15th, the first of five union meetings will be held with Hillerica council. John J. Hogan, Esq., will give a talk on law. A well known brother will speak of the Royal Arcanum and a musical program has been arranged for the evening. Let the members go in good numbers.

Lowell council is making an effort to have supreme regent Apgar and suite at its next regular meeting Nov. 14th. If he comes it will be a red letter night with the Arcanum as Brother Apgar is probably the most enthusiastic worker that the order has ever had.

JEFFRIES-SHARKEY

BOTH PUGILISTS PRETTY SORE AFTER THE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—After the Sharkey-Jeffries bout was over last night the two pugilists were taken to separate turkish bath establishments uptown. With two broken ribs and a lame shoulder, Sharkey was willing to be assisted in his movements, and when he and his attendants reached their destination after a long ride in a cab, he was carried into the bath house and rubbed down. During that operation he talked a little, saying he would have put Jeffries out if he had not wrenched his left shoulder in the eighteenth round. "I was like fighting with one arm after that," he said. He did not know how he wrenched the shoulder.

Before coming over from Coney Island, Jeffries was driven to his headquarters on the Ocean Boulevard, where he packed his grip, after which he rode in a coupe over to the borough of Manhattan. He remained at the bathing rooms until noon, when he set out for Philadelphia. The champion seemed anything but pleased over the result of the fight. He had expected a much easier task. There is a big lump on his cheek bone and a slight abrasion on the forehead between the eyebrows, and the skin of the nose is badly lacerated. His left arm—which was strained while training, is now almost useless. It bothered him considerably during the last round of last night's fight.

VON DER AHE'S SUIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 4.—Judge Withrow has given a decision in the suit of Chris Von der Ahe against the Chicago league baseball club and others in an action for damages because of the sale of Sportsman's park and club. The court sustained a demurrer to the defendants which alleged that the petition does not state a sufficient cause for action.

Von der Ahe sued the various clubs belonging to the National league to recover the difference between what the club brought when it was sold, namely, $33,000 and what he alleged the property was worth.

A WATERSPOUT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MADRID, Nov. 4.—Modajoz, a town 18 miles from Valladolid was greatly damaged yesterday by a waterspout. Fortunately no lives were lost.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; cooler westerly winds.

LIGHTSHIP IS SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 4.—Relief lightship No. 58, which was reported missing last night, came into port today safe and sound. She had gone to South Shoal with a relief crew and coal for the ship there, and has been waiting for suitable weather to make a transfer. It was effected last night.

STABBING AFFRAY

FRANK BACON STABBED PHILIP SALMON ON SOUTH STREET.

Frank Bacon, aged about 50 years, was arrested this afternoon just as the paper was going to press for stabbing a man named Philip Salmon, on South street, between Summer and Appleton streets.

Both men were together and got into a quarrel and Bacon stabbed Salmon on the left side in one of the lower ribs.

Salmon was taken to St. John's hospital in a serious condition.

BOY SHOT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FITCHBURG, Nov. 4.—John, the 11-year-old son of John T. Keefe, was accidentally shot by his 15-year-old brother Martin about 4.30 yesterday afternoon, and the injured lad is now at the Burbank hospital in a precarious condition.

It was another case of didn't know it was loaded.

COLUMBIANS ORGANIZE.

A new team will be seen in the basket ball field this season. They are the Columbians. The team is now practicing in the Burke' gymnasium and recently they defeated the Burke Juniors in a hot game by the close score of 9 to 8. The team is made up as follows: M. Reardon, E. Murphy, guards; J. Flynn, centre; T. Mason and G. Mitchell, forwards.

SERIOUS CHARGES

Made in the Report of Military Board

MAJOR RAFTER SEVERELY CRITICISED

Colonel Metcalfe is Also Blamed

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 4.—The Examiner says that the most sensational report of a military board of inquiry ever sent to the war department from this city has been forwarded to Washington from the headquarters of Major General Shafter. The document consists of nearly 100 typewritten pages and contains the severest kind of criticism of the methods employed by officers in charge of the sick soldiers who returned from the Philippines on the transports Tartar and Newport, October 10.

Upon Major Rafter, the surgeon of the 20th Kansas volunteers, who came back on the Tartar, the heaviest censure is laid. Col. Metcalf of the same regiment, who commanded the ship, General Funston being only a passenger, is indirectly referred to. Many other officers are given a hard measure of criticism but their names are being withheld until the war department sees fit to make known the details of the report. The board of inquiry which has so severely arraigned the transport service was appointed by General Shafter two weeks ago at the suggestion of Col. Alfred C. Girard, chief surgeon in the general hospital at the Presidio. Col. Girard's desire for an investigation was occasioned by the deplorable condition in which he found the sick men from the transports Tartar and Newport. There were about 40 of them and nearly all were suffering from dysentery.

Three men who came on the transports died a few days after their arrival. They were John Fabisak and John A. Logan of the 4th cavalry and George W. Hills of the 20th Kansas.

FUNERALS.

LIVINGSTON—Services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock over the remains of Daniel Livingston, from his late residence, 13 Belmont street. Rev. C. L. Merriam, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, was the officiating clergyman, he officiating both at the house and grave. There was singing, appropriate and impressive, by Messrs. Burns and Wirt, Sons, grandsons and near relatives acted as bearers. The floral tributes were profuse and beautiful and bore mute testimony of the appreciation and respect in which the grand old man was held. Mr. Willard Everett had charge of the funeral arrangements. The interment was in the Lowell Cemetery, under the direction of Mr. J. B. Currier.

Daniel Livingston was born on the Livingston farm in Tewksbury, part of which is now in Lowell, August 17, 1811, one of three children of Daniel Livingston. When a young man he began business with William Livingston, the establishment of which is now carried on by William E. Livingston. In later years he managed the affairs of the concern until he retired in 1885, after 56 years of service, at which time those with whom he had been associated in business for so many years took occasion to mark the separation with evidence of esteem and appreciation. The deceased never aspired to political office, nor did he affiliate with any of the fraternal societies; his home was his lodge and there he was a loving father and husband as he was a companionable man at all times. He had witnessed the growth of the city of Lowell from a mere settlement to its present proportions, and was always a public spirited and progressive citizen. In his death the community loses one of its most valuable citizens, a home builder and of the class of men that are a great power for good.

BURLEIGH—The funeral of Mrs. P. J. Burleigh took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Hardy, 10 Manahan street. Appropriate selections were rendered by Mrs. Leonard Hartley and Mrs. Horace Hanson, Rev. Mr. Ford officiated. Among the numerous floral tributes were: A pillow of roses, pinks and chrysanthemums, from husband; wreath from brothers and sisters of the deceased; sprays of pinks, Mrs. G. B. Palmer, Mrs. J. H. Peevey, Mrs. T. N. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. P. H. Coburn and Mrs. L. J. Blackwell; sprays of chrysanthemums, Miss Lou Sponholtz, Mrs. Frank L. Robitaille; autumn leaves, Miss Lizzie Drake and Mrs. Maud Wilson; spray of roses, Musicians' club; broken wreath, Hibbard's orchestra. The bearers were J. H. Hibbard, J. P. Larkin, H. J. Martel and B. A. Tanner. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Funeral Director J. A. Weinbeck.

CULLEN—A requiem mass was celebrated at St. Peter's church yesterday morning for the repose of the soul of Bridget Cullen, Rev. Fr. Saunders being the celebrant. The pall bearers were James D. Haley, James Hill, Martin Hearn and Patrick Maguire. Rev. Fr. Saunders also officiated at the grave. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker McDermott.

LAFFERRIERE—The funeral of Angelina Lafferriere, wife of Norbert, took place yesterday morning from her late home, 4 Montcalm avenue. A requiem mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's church, Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., being the celebrant. The funeral was largely attended. The bearers were Joseph Lafferriere, Hidege Hervieux, Alphonse Dalphond, Narcisse Clairemont, Hidege and Theophile Jubinville. Rev. Fr. Deroche, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

AUBY—A requiem mass was celebrated yesterday morning at St. Jean Baptiste church over the remains of Napoleon Auby, Rev. Fr. Guillard, O. M. I., being celebrant. The bearers were Messrs. S. Loblanc O. Desmarais, H. Rivet and J. Sigmane. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Archambeault.

The thing that has attracted people's attention most of late is the low prices of Furniture of Gaynor & Co., 35 Prescott street. Every housekeeper in the city should call before purchasing elsewhere and save dimes and dollars.

NEWS CONFIRMED

OF THE DROWNING OF TWO ENGINEERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The Isthmian canal commission today received cable advices confirming the reported drowning of two members of one of the survey parties now in Nicaragua. The engineers lost were Frank B. Clarke of Fulton, N. Y., chief of the party, and Oliver Collingig Minnack, rodman, of Washington, D. C. The dispatch was from Engineer Miller, chief of the Nicaraguan surveys, and gave no details beyond stating that the men were drowned at Muchuca Rapids on Sunday last and that the bodies have been recovered. Two native laborers also were drowned.

DEATHS.

LARKINS—Frank Larkins, for many years flagman and station agent at Bennett's hill station, Billerica, passed away at St. John's hospital this morning at 2 o'clock. Deceased is 62 years of age, and is survived by a wife and two children, who reside in Chichester, N. H.

COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS.

The committe on accounts will meet at city hall this afternoon.

BILLERICA NEWS

Mr. C. W. Wild has nearly completed his hothouse. It is 150 feet long and 36 feet wide. It is the largest hothouse in Billerica.

Mr. Charles Shedd, who has been out of work on account of a seven week illness, resumed work yesterday as engineer at Dickinson's cider mill.

Mr. Wallace, who has been a farm hand at Nat Jones' place, will accept a position as farm hand at Nelson Parker's farmer. He takes the place of Mr. Deverix.

GOLD DEMOCRATS

APPEAL TO VOTERS TO SUPPORT PAINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—A number of gold democrats of the state, including Charles R. Codman, Thomas Higginson, Moorefield Storey, Dana Bates, Harvey N. Shepard, Winslow Warren, Charles Fletcher and Gamaliel Bradford, have issued an address to the voters of the state, calling upon them to support Robert Treat Paine, Jr., democratic candidate for governor. The signers of the appeal say that while they do not agree with all the planks in the democratic platform, they believe "that it is of supreme importance to make clear to the president and to congress that a policy of criminal aggression in the Philippines does not receive the support of the country."

CYCLING NEWS

Boston, Oct. 30, 1899.

A. W. Pease, Esq., Secretary Election Committee:

Dear Sir:—I hereby formally request your committee to either declare as elected the Independents, or proceed to an election as the constitution and by-laws of the division require. Yours truly, ARTHUR K. PECK.

Boston, Oct. 31, 1899.

Lafayette G. Blair, Esq., Chairman Rights and Privileges Committee:

Dear Sir:—The Massachusetts division board at its last meeting, with a full knowledge of the financial condition of the division, and with a sufficient amount in the treasury to meet the preliminary expenses of an election, did formally elect an election committee for the purpose of holding an election. Certain parties complying with the division constitution and by-laws have been regularly nominated as independents, and I maintain that an election should be held forthwith, or that those independent candidates should be declared elected. Chief Consul Elliott has taken upon himself to order said committee (election committee) not to proceed with an election until he grants his permission. The national constitution, article 2, section 1, provides that "The chief consul and secretary-treasurer and vice-consul, together with the representatives, shall constitute the division board of officers, with power to make and execute a constitution and by-laws for the government of the division." By this power vested in it, the Massachusetts division board has ordered a committee to proceed with an election. The chief consul being only a servant of this division board, has absolutely no authority, I maintain, to set aside for political purposes or otherwise, that which the division board orders. I must respectfully ask for a ruling from your committee. I believe this action of the chief consul is largely for political purposes, to prevent parties from securing office who have incurred his displeasure, to which election expenses is secondary. Your attention is called to the statement at your hearing by the secretary of the election committee whereby he stated that he intended to get out the ballots, and was proceeding with the work of the committee, pending your decision. Now that you have decided in favor of the Independents, and therefore against the choice of the chief consul, he, the chief consul, suddenly takes an unwarrantable action in holding up the election. A year ago, in spite of the fact that the division was in debt over a thousand dollars, an election was held, for which I am told that Mr. Elliott was largely responsible. Now, with sufficient funds in the treasury to meet the preliminary expenses of an election, and with the bright and cheerful prospects of the division getting financially on its feet, clear of debt, June 1, as stated by the secretary-treasurer in his last report, Mr. Elliott suddenly takes matters into his own hands and stops an election. Your prompt ruling as to whether he has that power delegated to him is respectfully asked. Yours very truly,

ARTHUR K. PECK.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The following Massachusetts pension changes resulting from the issue of October 23 are announced: Original: Charles F. Mills, Lynn, $8. Additional: George R. McIntyre, Lynn, $6 to $8. Original widows, etc.: Minors of Robert H. Duff, Walpole, $14; Francis Jones, Hancock, $8; Charlotte M. Powers, of Warren, $8.

SOMEWHAT BETTER.

Rev. Fr. McGrath, O. M. I., is feeling much better this morning, he having passed a very comfortable night.

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MR. QUA'S OPINION

On the Street Railway Franchise

ON FIRST AND OTHER STREET

The City Council's Power Not Entirely Gone

The opinion asked of City Solicitor Qua in the board of aldermen Tuesday night, as to the responsibility of the railway company in furnishing adequate transportation to the public, and the powers of the board of aldermen in revoking the company's franchise, has been submitted. The opinion in full is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor,
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 3.

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

In compliance with your request that I furnish in writing, to the board, a statement of the powers of the board of aldermen, under the existing laws, to remedy the evils complained of in the petition of William D. Brown et al., in which certain charges are made concerning the service of the Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company, and at the hearing on said petition, I submit the following:

Three specific charges against said railway company are set forth in said petition.

First: That some two years ago said company was granted a location in First street from Bridge street to Llewellyn street, and that within the past month said company has abandoned said location and ceased to run any cars over the same.

Second: That the city about a year ago expended a large sum of money in extending Beech street, upon the promise of said railway company that upon the completion of said street improvement it would apply for a location thereon, and when granted, extend its tracks through said street, which promise has not been fulfilled.

Third. That for several months past the service of said railway company has been defective and insufficient and the cars unreasonably crowded, especially on the line between North Chelmsford and Lowell, and on the Bridge street line.

With respect to the first of said charges, prior to the general street railway act of 1893, the law furnished to the board of aldermen a complete and perfect remedy in section 23 of chapter 113 of the public statutes, which read as follows:

"The board of aldermen or selectmen, at any time after the expiration of one year from the opening for use of a street railway in their city or town and after notice published as provided in section 21 and a hearing, if in their judgment the interests of the public so require, may order that the location of any track shall be revoked; and the company shall thereupon remove the same in conformity with such order, and shall put the street in as good condition as it was in immediately before being occupied by said track."

This statute was repealed by section 26 of chapter 573 of the acts of 1893, and the authority of the board of aldermen to revoke the location and cause the removal of the track of a street railway as existing at the present time is found in section 17 of the act last mentioned, in which the provisions of the statute quoted, are re-enacted, but very materially modified. Said section 17 reads as follows:

"The board of aldermen of a city or the selectmen of a town, after the expiration of one year from the opening for use of a street railway in their city or town, and after notice as provided in section 13 of this act and a hearing, if the public necessity and convenience in the use of the streets require, may for good and sufficient reasons to be stated in the order therefor, order that the location of any street railway in any highway or street shall be revoked; but no revocation of a location of a street railway shall be valid until approved by the board of railroad commissioners after public notice and hearing, unless the company consent thereto in writing within 30 days after such order of revocation. Upon revocation approved as aforesaid, the company shall remove the railway in conformity with the order of revocation, and shall put the portion of the surface of streets disturbed by such removal in as good condition as the adjacent surface of said streets. If the company neglects to execute such an order after 30 days' notice of such approval thereof, the board of aldermen or selectmen may cause the same to be executed and the work done at the expense of the company, to be recovered in an action of tort."

It will be seen from a comparison of the statutes above quoted that two changes are made by the later statute. In the first statute, the board of aldermen were authorized to revoke the location "if in their judgment the interests of the public so require." In the later statute the board is authorized to revoke "if the public necessity and convenience in the use of the streets require." And the order of revocation before taking effect must under the provisions of this later statute be approved by the board of railroad commissioners.

I am of the opinion, however, that the abandonment of the use of a location by a railroad company for the running of its cars is a sufficient reason for such revocation, and that if the charge as stated in the petition above referred to, is sustained, the railroad commissioners would approve an order revoking the location. As to the second charge or specification contained in the petition, I am of the opinion that the statutes do not furnish any remedy which can be applied by the board of aldermen. The board has no authority to compel a street railway company to secure a location or build its tracks in any street.

The third specification of complaint refers to the unreasonably crowded cars or lack of accommodations on certain lines of the Lowell & Suburban Street railway in Lowell. There are two provisions of the statute which are intended to remedy this evil. The first is section 3 of chapter 113 of the public statutes, which read as follows:

"Every street railway company shall furnish reasonable accommodations for the convenience of passengers, and for every willful neglect to provide the same shall forfeit not less than five nor more than twenty dollars."

Of course the board of aldermen is not the proper tribunal to hear a complaint under this statute, nor can it impose the penalty provided therein. It appears to be a criminal statute, and any citizen may make complaint to the police court or may bring the matter to the attention of the district attorney, who will doubtless take such action as seems to him proper in the premises.

Another remedy provided by the law for the wrong complained of in the third specification of said petition, is contained in chapter 216 of the acts of 1891, section 1 of which is as follows:

"Whenever in the opinion of the railroad commissioners additional accommodations for the traveling public are required upon any street railway, they may, after due notice to the street railway company, and hearing thereon, make such order requiring additional accommodations to be provided as they think justice to all parties concerned requires, and they may alter, revoke and renew the same from time to time."

Although the board of aldermen is not mentioned in this statute, I see no reason why the board may not by their petition bring the matter to the attention of the railroad commissioners, and I have no doubt the commissioners would grant a hearing thereon, and if at such hearing the facts stated in the petition were established they would make such order in the premises as would afford an adequate remedy.

Section 44 of chapter 113, authorizes the application to the railroad commissioners by the board of aldermen of a city for a revision and regulation of the fares established by a street railway company, and I see no reason why the board of aldermen may not with perfect propriety take the initiative in bringing before the railroad commissioners the failure of a street railway company to furnish sufficient accommodations to its passengers.

Section 29 of Chapter 113 of the public statutes may also be referred to in this connection. It provides as follows:

"The board of aldermen or selectmen may from time to time make such regulations as to the manner and extent of use of tracks and the number and routes of cars of any and all companies running over the same within their city or town, as the interest of public travel may require."

By section 63 of the same chapter and chapter 293 of the Acts of 1891, the supreme judicial court and the superior court are given jurisdiction to compel the observance of all laws governing street railway companies and of all orders, rules and regulations made in accordance therewith by the board of aldermen of a city or the selectmen of a town, or by the board of railroad commissioners, and to compel such observance upon the petition of the mayor and aldermen of any city or the selectmen of any town in which the street railway is located.

It will be seen that the language of section 29 above quoted is very broad and seems to give to the board of aldermen very important powers over street railways operated within the city. Whether, under this section, the board is authorized to prescribe the frequency with which cars shall be run on particular routes or require larger seating capacity and more accommodations within the cars themselves may perhaps be doubted. But it seems to me that it would be wise for the board to appoint a committee who should carefully examine the whole subject of street railway accommodations within the city and draft a set of regulations to be presented to the board under this chapter. Perhaps the extent of the supervision which the board may exercise over street railways could only be determined by a reference to the courts, but it seems to me that the adoption of such regulations would have a tendency to impress the officers of street railway companies with their responsibility to the municipal authorities and would certainly result in greatly improving the service.

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JEFFRIES WON.

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and jaw almost at will and there was a wild audience. As the fight went along, round by round, the sailor fought his way right into the hearts of those who marveled at Jeffries' capacity for punishment.

The Californian crouched low and though his eyes blazed he smiled and generally glanced at O'Rourke, who was coaching his man over the ropes. Sharkey's vicious punches began to tell and at the close of the seventh it seemed as though Jeffries could hardly walk to his corner, and it seemed certain there would be a new champion.

Sharkey's ear was split in the eighth, and it made him mad like a bull. He rushed, swinging lefts and rights and landed nearly all of them, with Jeffries throwing himself over the sailor. The Californian pushed his man over the ropes at every opportunity and in some of the rounds rested his great head on Sharkey's shoulder so much that he was hissed and jeered.

Jeffries landed a terrific uppercut in the 10th and Sharkey's eyelid was split, but in the 12th Sharkey got back with half a dozen left swings and a straight right and it was wonderful they did not end the fight. Jeffries hugged the sailor hard and shook his head as he went to his corner. Every round carried Sharkey across the ring at the start, and he was fighting the champion all over the canvas.

In the 15th Jeffries made a bluff at forcing, but Sharkey was at him again like a bulldog and swung high and low, and landed almost every time he swung. The Californian made little effort to lead. He preferred the defensive and he was winded. Sharkey, too, was tiring fast and they punched and swung and clinched and staggered all round the ring for the next few rounds.

The crowd shrieked from the sound of the gong to the close of each round. Both men were covered with blood and Jeffries was bleeding badly from his nose, which Sharkey's savage right had split. Suddenly in the 22nd, Jeffries seemed to take on new life. Just at the close of this round the champion swung right and left on Sharkey's jaw and Tom was almost taken off his feet. He reeled and the gong saved him. He came back hard, however in the next but Jeffries had the better of it, putting in two right uppercuts. Jeffries' friends howled themselves hoarse, while Sharkey's urged him on with loud cries to go in hard and rough it.

He threw down his terrier-like head and though is strength was fast leaving him, he had Jeffries' gauge to the gong round.

No one could say who would get in the knockout blow and neither seemed able if he landed, to put enough force into the blow to drop his man. In the midst of the 25th, nearly one minute before the close, Jeffries' glove flew across the ring and Siler ran to help him on with it. Sharkey held back until his friends yelled at him not to stop and it was a three-cornered fight for a few moments. The referee got Jeffries glove and tried to draw it on. This was difficult to do and then Sharkey rushed. Jeffries threw up his gloved and ungloved hand and with the former uppercut Sharkey. Siler ran between them and made a second attempt to assist Jeffries. The sailor waited a moment but wildly excited by the shrieks of the spectators, he rushed again. Siler dragged Jeffries away and the gong rang. The referee pointed to Jeffries' corner and his seconds and friends cheered wildly.

AFTER THE FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3, 1899.—Sharkey in his dressing room immediately after the battle presented a most pitiable appearance. He was crying and his face bore many marks of punishment. His left eye was closed and badly puffed. His left ear was swollen and bleeding and the right side of his face was out of shape. Two ribs on his left side were broken and he was lying on a couch suffering great pain.

His defeat, though, seemed to bother him more than his injuries. He kept talking constantly of what he called the unfairness of Siler's decision, and said that he was honestly entitled to the winner's share of the stakes. He said that he believed he could defeat Jeffries and that all unprejudiced persons who saw the battle would admit that the worst he should have had was a draw.

Dr. Cramer, the club's physician, attended Sharkey after the battle and said that with the physical pain that Sharkey must have suffered he gave a wonderful exhibition of pluck. It was fully half an hour after the contest was ended before the sailor was able to dress and leave the clubhouse. He was so weak and suffered so much pain that he had to stop and rest several times before he got outside the door.

Except for a slight bruise on his nose, Jeffries showed no marks of punishment. He was as happy as a schoolboy over his victory and said that it had not been for the oppressive heat caused by the lights and the fact that his arm gave him a lot of pain in the seventh round, he would have knocked Sharkey out.

When asked about his plans for the future, or whether he would fight Sharkey again, he said he did not know. It was too early to talk about these affairs at present.

"In view of the fact," said Jeffries, "that I have already beaten Sharkey twice, I don't see why I should meet him again. I certainly clearly demonstrated my superiority over the sailor tonight and I think he is mighty lucky to have escaped a knockout.

Sharkey's friends roundly scored Referee Siler for his decision, firmly believing that a draw was the worst that Sharkey should have received. Tom O'Rourke swears that Siler will never do any more refereeing where he is concerned. No one however, questions Siler's honesty in the matter the blame being placed upon his judgment.

The fight by rounds will be found on Page 6.

THOUSANDS OUT

To Hear Returns From the Fight Last Night

MERRIMACK SQ. NEVER SO CROWDED

And All Looked to the Sun Office

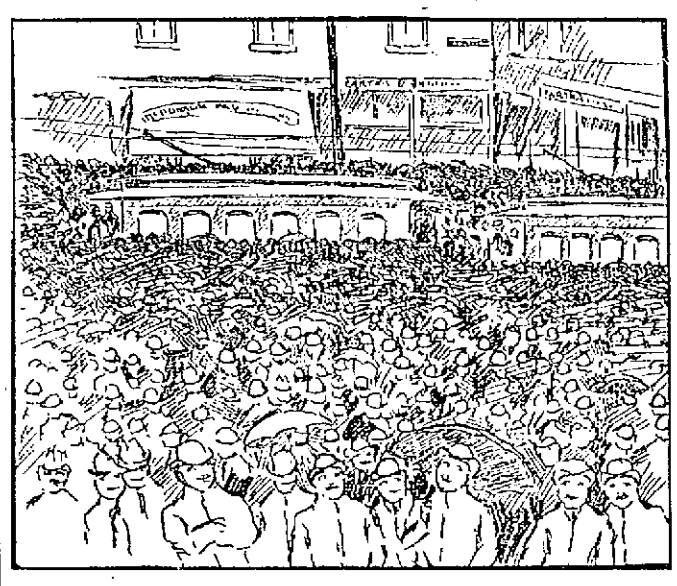
WHENCE CAME QUICKEST RETURNS

While They Hooted the Citizen's Megaphone

Jeffries won and so did The Sun, and last night was the greatest that Merrimack square, in all its varied career has ever seen. No presidential election ever attracted the crowds that last night stood before The Sun building and facing it, unmindful of the downpour of rain for several hours, not dispersing until some time after the result was known when The Sun bulletined the closing scene in the 25th round.

It was an immense gathering, and it began to get around as early as eight o'clock, although the fun didn't start until nearly 10 o'clock. At 3 o'clock, when the preliminary announcements were being made the square was choked with people and wagons could not get through, electric cars passing only with greatest difficulty. It was a Sharkey crowd throughout and every announcement favorable to the sailor was greeted with great cheering, while the boilermaker's friends were so few that they couldn't be heard until the finish when all cheered the winner.

The Sun spared no pains to give the public the quickest and most accurate and best service, and how well it succeeded the immense gathering which stood facing its windows for hours despite the efforts of our neighbor across



THE SEA OF HUMANITY AS SEEN FROM THE SUN BUILDING, LISTENING TO THE ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE FIGHT AS GIVEN THROUGH THE GREAT SUN MEGAPHONE.

the way to attract attention, can testify, as it did by its cheers for The Sun and jeers for its belated contemporary from time to time during the night.

The Sun had its big megaphone in constant use, and its megaphone operators had been taking lessons in voice culture in anticipation of the event.

At the beginning The Sun announces the results from its lower office, but finding the arrangement unsatisfactory got its megaphone nearer the wire and soon remedied the fault and gave a running story of the big fight from start to finish which was later echoed across the street to the great amusement of the crowd which greeted the other megaphonist with cries of "Shut up," "You're dead slow up there," "Come around in the morning and tell us," etc., etc.

The Sun took such a lead on its contemporary at one stage of the game that the latter suspended operations temporarily, holding a council of war with itself.

When the silence across the street was noted The Sun's megaphonist cried out: "Have we silenced the enemy's guns so soon?"

"That's what you have," yelled back the crowd. "You're all right." "They ain't in it with you," etc.

When The Sun announced that Jeffries won, its competitor was dilating upon the 22d or 23d round and upon hearing The Sun's announcement the rival megaphone came to a dead stop in the middle of a round, and a few minutes later, noting perhaps The Sun bulletin in gigantic letters, came out again with "Jeffries Wins," while the crowd gave the announcement the laugh. After announcing the winner, The Sun continued its announcements to the call of time at the end of the 25th round.

It was an exciting time in Merrimack square, and The Sun, as usual, was equal to the occasion. They can all follow us, but The Sun leads, and if you can't take our word ask any one of the 5000 people who cheered The Sun's enterprise in Merrimack square last night.

We cannot see how anybody who reads the Citizen's statement about returns can ever believe anything that the paper says. It has given its untruthfulness and inability to compete with The Sun an advertisement that will long be remembered.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are making a special run on Thanksgiving Carvers. They are selling a fully warranted carver for 88c a pair, regular price $1.38.

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THE CARPET MILLS

May Consolidate With Other Concerns

PLAN ARRANGED FOR DEAL

The Lowell Directors Favor the Plan

The stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company have received notice, advising them of a proposed consolidation of that company with the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by W. J. Whittall of Worcester. The terms proposed are seven shares of the new company's stock, par value $100, for one share of the Lowell company, par value $100.

The last sale of the Lowell company's stock was at 642½, or nearly $150 less than the par value of the stock.

The notice to the stockholders is in full as follows:

To the Stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing Company:

It has been suggested that the business heretofore conducted by the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that conducted by the Bigelow Carpet company, and that conducted by M. J. Whittall of Worcester, can be united to the advantage of all the parties interested, owing to the large saving of expense if the business of all three concerns be conducted under one management, and owing to other important advantages.

For this purpose it is proposed that a new corporation be formed under the laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million and thirty thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the assets, both real and personal, of the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation assume and agree to pay the Lowell Manufacturing company, and that such new corporation purchase, for two million dollars of its capital stock (at par value), all the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks of the Bigelow Carpet company, together with an amount of its quick assets equivalent to one million dollars in value, and that such new corporation purchase for four hundred and seventy thousand dollars of its capital stock (at par value) the real estate and machinery, good will, patents and trade-marks used by M. J. Whittall in his business of carpet manufacturing at Worcester and Palmer, together with seventy thousand dollars in value of the personal property of said Whittall used by him in said business.

This plan is the result of long and careful consideration and discussion, and in the proposed combination there is nothing whatever to be paid for commission or promoters' fee. The total capital stock is to be $4,500,000.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Lowell Manufacturing company has been called to act upon the proposal to sell all the assets of the corporation upon the terms stated.

By this sale the stockholders in the Lowell Manufacturing company will receive seven shares of stock in such new corporation, of the par value of one hundred dollars each, for each share of stock in the Lowell Manufacturing company held by them.

It is then proposed to wind up the Lowell Manufacturing company, close its concerns, and take legal steps necessary to procure its dissolution.

The directors unanimously advise the stockholders to vote in favor of the proposed plan.

It is essential that a majority of the stock be represented at the meeting, and it is very desirable that all stockholders be represented.

If you are in favor of a sale of the assets of this company upon the terms stated and are unable to be present at the meeting, please sign and return promptly the enclosed proxy, which will be voted in favor of the proposed sale; and the revenue stamp required by law will be affixed and cancelled before using the proxy.

S. LOTHROP THORNDIKE,
ISRAEL G. WHITNEY,
AUGUSTUS LOWELL,
JOHN HOGG,
GEORGE F. RICHARDSON,
JACOB ROGERS,
ARTHUR T. LYMAN,
Directors of the Lowell Manufacturing Company.

The many friends of Mr. John Murphy of West Third street, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. will regret to learn that he left the city Wednesday for California, on account of ill health. His friends wish him a safe journey and a rapid return of health.

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HARVARD-U. OF P.

Two of the Big Four Meet Today

HARVARD FILLED WITH CONFIDENCE

Big Crowd Out to See the Game

Today two elevens of the "Big Four" clash for the first time this year. Harvard will play the University of Pennsylvania eleven on Franklin Field in Philadelphia.

All the traditions of football point to a victory for Harvard and, if by any chance, or any exhibition of good play, Pennsylvania should win or even tie the score, football prophets will feel like packing their belongings into a carpet bag and removing themselves from the sight of man.

Pennsylvania's career this fall has not been one of glittering victories with plenty of limelight and red fire on the side. The eleven has wandered upon a path of thorns hedged in by barb wire fences, and whichever way the players turn they are jabbed by the goads of criticism.

This year Pennsylvania not only has lost games, but has lost to one of its bitterest foes, and has been scored against by colleges that were child's play for the red and blue before.

From the beginning of the season Harvard has played excellent football. The hardest game that the college has had was with the Indians. Although Carlisle scored against the Crimson the Cambridge men profess to be satisfied with the work of their men and are quite confident that they will beat the Quakers today.

Coach Woodruff has kept the Pennsylvania players on the jump since the training season began. Some of them have played two or three different positions. Men, who were drilled in past years to guard the line, have been suddenly shifted to places back of the line, and other players, who knew well how to play certain line positions, have been moved into other places.

Most of the critics outside of Philadelphia are of opinion that the absence of a settled policy regarding the eleven has worked to Pennsylvania's disadvantage. Why shouldn't that be the case? It is a good player who can be tackle one year, guard another and half back a third.

Harvard men are playing mostly in the positions that they occupied last year. Wherever a new man needed to be substituted it was only for the reason that some player of the eleven of 1898 had graduated. The moment that the Harvard eleven's season of coaching began a fixed plan was adopted, and it has been pursued almost without deviation since the beginning of the year.

Granting that Harvard's chances to win seem far brighter than those of Pennsylvania, it is safe to assume that the Pennsylvania eleven will play better football than it has been playing since the beginning of the season. The game at Chicago last Saturday showed that beyond all question Chicago is a strong eleven, so strong, in fact, that it really should have scored more times against the Quakers had it not been for the unexpectedly strong defensive play put up by the Pennsylvania men.

This defensive play should be improved during the present week, and when the crimson eleven meets the Quakers today, it will be decidedly astonishing to those who have given the evolution of football a study if the Pennsylvania players do not make Harvard's path a stormy one.

Possibly Pennsylvania will score. Once the heavy men on the Quaker line get thoroughly in earnest and in full motion, with that wonderful ability of theirs to push their weight through almost any kind of opposition in the shape of flesh and blood, it generally means that all is over for the players on the other side. Quietly a few wagers have been made in New York on the game. It is needless to say that even the most enthusiastic of Pennsylvania's graduates have not been ready to wager that their eleven will win, but many of them have enough confidence left in their old alma mater to defy Harvard men by betting that Pennsylvania will score. Even that bet to some seems to be the expression of forlorn hope rather than real indication of genuine assurance in the eleven.

There is a big demand for choice seats for the Columbia-Cornell game in New York on Tuesday next. It is believed that the undergraduates and alumni will turn out in larger numbers than ever before in order to give an ovation to the Columbia eleven and to encourage the players in their struggle with the powerful Ithacans. The fact that the two teams which defeated Yale and Princeton by the same score on the same day are to fight for supremacy on Columbia Field next Tuesday is sufficient notice to football enthusiasts that a battle royal is in store for them. While Coach Sanford makes no announcements, he will probably meet Cornell with the team that beat Yale without a change. It looks like a case of even money on the result and make your own selection.

There is a feeling among the members of the Columbia 'Varsity players that Yale will defeat Princeton on November 25th, at New Haven. The Columbia men say that Yale has the material for a fine eleven and they expect the coaches to pound it into winning form. Stecovitch, of the Columbia team, who is a former Yale 'varsity man, says that Yale might surprise Harvard. He calls attention to the fact that in 1897 Yale's team was generally berated for playing a draw with West Point and that disaster was predicted for the Blue. After that, however, Yale played Harvard at Cambridge 0—0, and then beat Princeton's stars 6—0 at New Haven. Stecovitch believes that the Yale eleven this fall can be made a winner by good training and constant coaching. As a betting proposition, Yale will have plenty of supporters when the Tigers line up at New Haven.

DEATHS.

McCLARY—Julia A. McClary, aged 44 years, wife of Daniel McClary, died yesterday at her late home, 129 Paige street.

PEARSON—John Pearson, aged 48 years died this morning at his late home, 237 Fayette street. Deceased was employed in the Merrimack Print Works for the past twelve years and was a devout member of the Immaculate Conception church. Besides a wife Mary, he is survived by six children, Mrs. James Hanlan, Mrs. Thomas Leeson, Mrs. Samuel Mullin, Miss Sarah Pearson and James and John Pearson. The funeral will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception church.

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NO INCREASE YET

Decision of the Fall River Mill Men

ON THE DEMAND FOR HIGHER WAGES

The Operatives Not Left Without Hope

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 4.—The hopes of Fall River's mill population were dashed to the ground late yesterday as a result of the special meeting of the Fall River cotton manufacturers' association, called to consider the demand for an increase of 10 per cent, made by their employes through the textile council at the conference held last Monday with a special committee of the manufacturers' association.

The manufacturers voted not to grant the increase at the present time, tempering it, however with the statement that should the market conditions warrant it, an increase may be granted later.

The manufacturers, at the conclusion of the meeting, gave out the following vote, which was passed just before its conclusion:

"Voted—That it is the sense of the meeting that an advance of wages at this time is inexpedient, in view of the fact that the margin between the cost of print cloths is no more than it was when the advance of 12½ per cent of April last was made and the present scale of wages adopted.

"Should business improve so that the margin of profit will warrant it, an advance of wages will be made but we believe that any advance at the present time would be premature."

The special committee which met the textile council in conference was also given power to prepare a sliding scale of wages. An attempt had previously been made to establish such a system, but the committee having the matter in charge failed to report it.

Among the operatives the general feeling was one of disappointment but some of them looked upon the implied promise of an increase later on as a hopeful sign. These mill workers, however, have the utmost faith in their leaders, and most of them are confident that they will ultimately gain the increase asked for.

Sec. Rousseville of the Manufacturers' association will probably mail the formal notification of the manufacturers' decision to Sec. Whitehead of the textile council, and a meeting of that body will be called probably for Saturday evening.

SHE QUIT COFFEE

And Got Well in Common Sense Way.

"When I left off coffee, it seemed that was the thing hardest to drop. I had been put on a diet for stomach trouble, had a good appetite but no food would stay on my stomach. I was compelled to leave off one thing after another but never suspected coffee. When I decided to leave off the coffee, however, my stomach trouble ceased entirely, also my nervousness and I can again sleep well. But a new trouble then arose. How was I to get along without my coffee? It was a great temptation when I saw it on the table in the morning. One day a friend who knew of my case sent me a package of Postum Cereal Food Coffee. After it had been prepared, I had great misgivings about using it, for it looked so much like fine coffee that I feared it would have the same effect, but I soon found it to be free from all injurious properties and its use has been of great benefit to me.

"I have never had any taste for coffee since using the Postum Cereal Food Coffee. My children derive great benefit from using Postum. We all enjoy it very much, having discarded the old-fashioned coffee entirely."—Alice Lawrence, Bowen, Mont.

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POLICE COURT

BRIEF SESSION THIS MORNING.

The session of police court this morning was quite brief. Judge Hadley was on the bench and only one drunk was arraigned. He was a simple offender and was discharged by the court.

James Harkins was found guilty of assault and battery on his wife and was found guilty and ordered to recognize in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months.

The case of Christos Antimoria, charged with illegal keeping and illegal sale of liquor, was again continued at the request of counsel for the defense. The case will come up again Monday.

The liquor case against John B. Marston and Lizzie M. Marston of Tewksbury, was put over till Tuesday next.

Big reduction in Eastman Kodak Company's Cameras. See the Thompson Hardware Company's advertisement.

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THURSDAY, Nov. 16,

AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

Administratrix sale of the beautiful McCartin residence, house, barn and about 7800 square feet of land at No 71 Dover street.

In order to settle up the estate of my late husband, I will positively sell at public auction on the day advertised, rain or shine, the residence which I now occupy at 71 Dover street. I am perfectly aware of the dull market in real estate, and being so late in the fall, I will have to be content with the price it will bring. I have two reasons for selling the above property, one to settle up the estate; and the other, as there is no one in family but myself, the house is too large, and under these circumstances the property will be sold for just what it will bring, on the day advertised for sale. The house is a two and one-half story structure of ten rooms, bath, small ell, unfinished attic, and an extra good cellar, divided as follows: Parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, pantry, and small ell with refrigerator on first floor; five beautiful and comfortable sleeping rooms and bath on second floor. It is a very convenient house, heated by steam, set tubs, hot and cold water, electric bells, and is in good repair inside and out. The barn is practically new, being built by Mr. McCartin. It contains one single stall, one box stall, a nice harness closet, carriage room for four carriages, and is all concreted, the lower part of the barn is sheathed and stained and makes a very fine place; also a large loft with good room for storage of sleighs, etc., and in fact is a model barn in every respect.

The lot has a frontage of about 58 feet on Dover street and an extreme depth of about 118 feet, making an area of about 7800 square feet, and is all nicely fenced in, has concrete driveway and walks, and a beautiful hedge or evergreen on the curve of the driveway makes a very nice appearance from the street. There is a splendid lawn with its trees and shrubbery, and this land being high, makes it one of the choice lots of the Highlands.

Location is certainly one of the very best in our city. Dover street is located between Branch and Westford streets, and just far enough away to be free from the noise and dust, and still be within two minutes' walk from the Westford or Branch street lines, right in a location with many of our best business men and in the vicinity of many costly residences. It is convenient to schools and churches and is but a short walk to the depot or post office. With the many advantages this property possesses, it should certainly interest some business man who is looking for a desirable and profitable home, for this is an opportunity seldom offered at public auction.

For further information call on the auctioneer, who will be pleased to show you the premises.

Terms, $500 to be paid at time and place of sale. By order of
KATE McCARTIN,
Administratrix of the state of Frank McCartin.
DANIEL J. DONAHUE, Attorney.

TUESDAY, Nov. 14.

The Personal Property of J. P. Coburn, Tyngsboro, Mass., Cows, Horses, Wagons, Hay Fodder, Lumber, Hens, Harnesses, Furniture and Farming Tools, commencing at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, Nov. 17.

At 10 o'clock a. m. the printing plant of Barnes & Co., call at the office of the auctioneer for a catalogue.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Of the real estate and personal property of the late Charles A. Kimball, Tyngsboro, Mass., Monday, Nov. 20, commencing at 9.30 o'clock. See advertisement later.

SPECIAL.

At our regular sale Saturday, Nov. 11, at 11 o'clock, three very fine family horses, one depot wagon almost new, one Goddard buggy, and one open buggy. This lot comes from a well known private family and will be sold for just what they will bring. Call and see them.

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THE AFRICAN SITUATION.

The situation in South Africa is very embarrassing to England at the present time as Ladysmith is isolated, while the Boers can shell it into surrender from the surrounding hills. Therefore General White's capitulation with his entire army is a foregone conclusion; while Kimberley is surrounded by the valiant Boers and liable to fall at any moment with Colenso, the base of retreat from Ladysmith cut off. In addition to all these adverse conditions the Zulus are rising against their old enemies, the British; the Dutch of Bechuanaland and Griqualand are also ready to join the ranks of the Boers. In fact, there is at present great danger of a general uprising of all the South African states against England.

If the Boers capture Ladysmith and Kimberley with the troops stationed at both places, they will be ready to meet and defeat the biggest army England can send there as soon as it arrives. Thus one army after another can be annihilated as fast as they arrive until England comes to terms and acknowledges her defeat. Any such outcome of the war would result in the establishment of a republic comprising all the South African states and Paul Kruger would be hailed as the Father of His Country, while General Joubert would be honored as the foremost hero of the land.

Ex-Rep. Fred Rourke served two years in the legislature, during which he proved himself one of the straightest democrats that ever sat in the house. A special effort should be made to elect such a man. The same can be said of Lieut. Quigley, who served so honorably last year as representative of the 25th district. Although Mr. McNabb, the other nominee has never been in the legislature, he is a most deserving candidate and should receive with the two mentioned the full democratic vote. Watson and McKinley, the poor farm trickster and trader, should be elected to stay at home and for Robbins the republicans of the Lowell end of the district don't intend to send him to the legislature. That is one reason why the three democratic candidates feel so confident.

Representative Ames managed to draw two salaries last year, one from the state as representative and one from the nation as a soldier. That is practically what General Wheeler was criticized for, although they were federl offices he held. Can an ordinary man fill two offices acceptably at the same time or is there such a scarcity of men that it is necessary to have any one man hold two offices? The Lowell republicans of the 27th district will cut the unknown from Carlisle as they cut Farmer last year in their effort to make Ames high man. Watch the returns and see if this statement does not prove true.

Professor McVane of Harvard is quoted as saying that the Boers have actually no idea of civilization. Some of these college professors show more impenetrable asininity to the square inch than do the most wooden-headed lot of Indians on the American continent. No better proof of the civilization of the Boers need be sought than a statement in Gen. White's despatches which read as follows:

"Gen. Joubert at once despatched a letter to me offering a safe conduct to doctors and ambulances to remove the wounded."

And now Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin gets a loving cup from Mr. Shuman of Boston. The lord mayor, however, is not looking for gifts or honor for himself. He is here in aid of the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the late Charles Stewart Parnell, and to raise funds sufficient to free his estate from debt, an object upon the propriety of which there is a great diversity of opinion among the friends of Ireland.

Rep. Watson's legislative record is not one that can be commended by republicans, much less by democrats. On many of the important questions he was absent, but on every matter involving the interests of labor he managed to be present that he might vote in the negative. His record in this respect accords well with his action in helping Mr. Ramsay to rob Chelmsford republicans of their apportionment.

City Solicitor Qua does not seem to be sure whether the city has any power over the use or disuse of the first street car line. It is difficult to tell from the lengthy opinion he has submitted just what he does think in regard to the matter. The aldermen will probably call upon him for his opinion upon the opinion he has just given out on the matter.

A rather comical incident occurred at the Parnell memorial meeting in Boston. One of the inscriptions over the stage was a quotation from Wendell Phillips to the effect that "Parnell made John Bull Listen." By a misarrangement of the letters in the last word it read "Silent."

That new landshark that bought up the corporation property started off by raising rents. Perhaps he thinks that he can get higher rents than were paid to the corporations. He may succeed in collecting them until the tenants look up new quarters, but no longer.

The American style of boxing by some is considered bad enough, but the French style, in which the contestants are allowed to work in a kick whenever they can, should be banished beyond the lines of civilization.

Collinsville is to be pitied in having so many cases of typhoid fever. It is due to the impurity of the water used. The germs of the disease will remain for years unless the usual precautions are taken to eradicate the disease completely.

The battle of the giants is over and some of the sports have lost their money. Still this will not deter them from betting on the next fight. Jeffries had the hardest fight of his life.

Gen. Funston says the war in the Philippines will be ended next year. Some people think it would be ended this year had this happened to be the year of the presidential election.

Mr. Bryan is making a noble fight for victory in Ohio. If McLean be beaten at the polls it will be because of the enemies he has made through his newspaper.

We rather surmise that Collins will knock out Murphy in the first round in the fight for the championship in Boston.

Get ready to vote the straight democratic ticket on next Tuesday.

THE LEATHER TRUST.

The American Hide and Leather company, the company which secured the M. Robson leather company of this city has issued its first prospectus, says the Salem News.

The corporation is a combination of about 25 independent companies and firms, with plants in various parts of the country.

The total authorized capital stock is $31,000,000, of which half is seven per cent. cumulative stock, and the remainder common stock. In addition to the stock the company has issued $10,000,000 six per cent. first-mortgage bonds.

It is understood that the various plants that have entered the combination received stock to the amount of one-half the agreed price of the plant, and a bond for the remainder, the bond not to be placed on the market or publicly negotiated until after a year from the date of the forming of the combination. The proprietors of the plants that entered the combine, and which are kept in operation, are to receive liberal salaries to manage their respective factories or plants.

LADIES' GYMNASIUM CLASS.

The ladies' class of physical culture at the Young Women's Christian association will be organized on next Tuesday evening, the 7th at 7.30 o'clock. The work for this season will be in charge of Mrs. H. L. Dietz, wife of Mr. Dietz, of the local Young Men's Christian association. Mrs. Dietz is well qualified to conduct these classes, having had several years of experience in assisting Dr. Dietz with his work of the ladies' class at the San Francisco Y. M. C. A.

As a basket ball player, Mrs. Dietz has few equals, having played right forward for the ladies' team of San Francisco for two years and at the same time acting in the capacity of manager.

Only the lighter class of work will be attempted in this department and suited to meet the demands of those participating.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Mr. Alexander Charette, of Gershom avenue, father of George Charette of the Merrimac's crew, has received a letter stating that his son, Thomas was seriously injured a few days ago in an accident in Connecticut, and one of his legs had to be amputated.

TESTIMONIAL DANCE.

A testimonial dance was given John Hancock last night and the affair proved a huge success. About 200 couples attended. Dancing was enjoyed until infinight, the Middlesex orchestra furnishing music. The following officers had charge: General manager, John H. Spillane; assistant, Fred Cronin; floor director, Bernard Lynch; assistant, William J. Quinlan; aids, Timothy Fitzgerald, Thomas Kearney, Richard Murphy, James Herrson, James Murphy, John Hyde, James Hyde and Jerry Danahy; secretary, Patrick Harrington, J. J. Shanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tonk of Richmond, P. Q., who have been visiting at the home of E. K. McGauvran in Arlington street, return to their Canadian home to day.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Over the Remains of Bishop Neeley

MANY CLERGYMEN WERE PRESENT

The Interment Was in Evergreen Cemetery

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 4.—The funeral of Bishop Neeley was held yesterday afternoon in St. Luke's Cathedral, in the presence of a great number of members of the church and friends of the deceased. A large number of visiting clergy were present and almost every clergyman in Maine was there.

The body was enclosed in a solid oak casket and the inscription on the plate was as follows:

"Henry Adams Neely, D. D.,
Second Bishop of Maine,
Died on the eve of All Saints' Day, 1899.
Aged 62 years and 5 months."

The casket was covered with flowers and rested in the chancel. The throne of the bishop was draped in black.

Among the visiting clergy were the following:

Bishop Lawrence, Massachusetts; Bishop McVickar, Rhode Island; Bishop Niles of New Hampshire; Bishop Hall, Vermont; and Bishop Brewster of Connecticut; Rev. Dr. W. Hugh Ketchum of St. Andrews', N. B.; Rev. Medville McLaughlin of New Brunswick; Rev. J. G. Foster, Rev. L. B. Storrs, and Rev. Charles L. Hutchinson of Massachusetts; Rev. F. S. Sills and Rev. C. W. Hayes of New York, and Rev. C. W. Ogden of Pennsylvania.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning the holy communion was again celebrated by Bishop Niles.

The body, which lay in state Thursday evening, in front of the altar, was removed by the clergy to the chancel and there three clergy watched by it all night.

The funeral service took place at 12.30 o'clock yesterday noon and was the regular service of the church intended for such occasions.

The procession was formed with the vested choir in front, followed by the Maine clergy. Then came the visiting clergy and Rev. Huston Sawyer, bearing the pastoral staff of the late bishop. The honorary canons of the cathedral came next and then the Very Rev. Dr. Charles M. Sills, Dean of the Cathedral. The bishops were next and then the pall bearers, consisting of the young clergy, as follows:

Rev. Harry Hudson, Rev. A. B. Palmer, Rev. G. B. Nicholson, Rev. John R. Norwood, Rev. T. E. Calvert, Rev. L. C. Foster, Rev. Arthur Stewart and Rev. L. E. B. W. Fowler.

Rev. Dr. Sills read the opening sentences and Psalms, Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, the lessons, and Bishop Hall of Vermont the prayer.

At Evergreen cemetery the burial service was read by Bishop Niles.

There were many carriages at the grave, most of the clergy present going to the last resting place of the bishop.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

TO BE OBSERVED BY THE BURKES TOMORROW.

Last evening an adjourned meeting of the Burke Temperance Institute was held and twenty-six new members were admitted. Arrangements were completed for the observance of Memorial Sunday tomorrow when the society will hold spiritual services commemorative of deceased members.

The cemetery will be visited and services held at the grave of ex-president Michael E. Sexton. Again at the hall in the evening at 8 o'clock when a literary and musical entertainment will be given.

The address of the evening will be delivered by Mr. John H. Harrington while Miss Adelaide E. Sullivan, Miss Margaret McCaffrey, James E. Donnelly and Austin Rall will sing. The ushers appointed for the evening are Messrs. Frederick Smith, chief; John Keegan, William Gleason, Thomas Walsh and Charles Gallagher. The public is cordially invited to be present at the evening exercises. The programme will conclude with remarks by Mr. E. J. Slattery.

Robert Lindsay, the new physical instructor, will be at the gymnasium every Monday and Friday evening until further notice.

John W. McEvoy, Esq., will lecture on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21.

CAKE WALK

PRIZE AWARDED TO THOMAS McHENRY AND MISS BULLIS.

A dance and championship cake walk was held last evening at Associate Hall under the auspices of the Tribune club and proved a complete success in every way. One of the largest crowds of the season was present during the evening.

The feature of the evening, of course, was the championship cake walk which commenced promptly at 10 o'clock. The contestants were George Harper and Miss Patrick; John Martin and Miss Vina Dupont; Mr. Harvey Chandler and Miss Gaudette of Nashua; Thomas McHenry and Miss Jennie Bullis (colored), Thomas Armstrong and Miss Fay.

It was an interesting contest and all of the walkers gave a fine exhibition and were liberally applauded. The judges were: Harry Meikeljohn, Fred Rogers, Joseph Fitzgerald, Thomas Conners and R. Borrison of Nashua and Joseph Flannagan acted in the capacity of master of ceremonies.

The judges retired after the walk was over and after a brief session declared Mr. McHenry and Miss Bullis the winners. The contest was for a prize of $10 and the championship of the Merrimack valley.

Fred H. Harrington was general manager of the dance and was assisted by H. Cuthbert. Dancing was resumed after the cake walk.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Taggart from Burlington, Vt., are guests of Mr. H. B. Huse of Beacon street. Their friends will be interested to know that they sail next week for Dresden, Germany, where they intend to reside, the doctor having become associated in business with one of the leading American dentists of that place.

DOES THE WORK.

No Surgical Operation, No Pain, Trifling Expense—A Simple, Harmless Remedy, But it Does the Work.

There are some people who have piles as frequently and regularly as other people have colds.

Any little bowel trouble will bring them on; any extra exertion as in lifting will produce them; and in fact they will often appear without any apparent provocation. Piles, however, are much more serious than a cold, as the tendency is always to grow worse until the trouble becomes deep seated and chronic or develops into some fatal rectal disease.

While there are many pile remedies which give relief, yet there is but one which not only gives instant relief but at the same time makes a permanent cure and that is the well known Pyramid Pile Cure.

This remedy is composed of simple, harmless vegetable ingredients, but combined so effectively and act so promptly and thoroughly that it cures every form of piles, whether itching, blind, bleeding or protruding.

In long standing cases the Pyramid Pile Cure has proven to be the only certain cure except a surgical operation, and its advantages over an operation are many, as it is painless, causes no delay or interference with daily occupation and last but not least, it is cheaper than any surgical operation could possibly be.

The cases that the Pyramid Pile Cure will not reach are so few that physicians are doing away with operations for piles and depending upon this cheap but effective remedy to accomplish a complete cure, and never disappoints except in cases beyond the reach of medical skill.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is prepared by the Pyramid Drug Co., of Marshall, Mich., and for sale by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. Each package contains a treatise on cause and cure of piles, together with testimonials from every section of this country.

EXCISE TAX

LOWELL & SUBURBAN TO PAY CITY $1610.29 ON ITS BUSINESS.

According to chapter 578 of the acts and resolves of 1898, all railway companies are subject to an excise tax in accordance with the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts in addition to their other and regular taxes.

Each year beginning this year, all companies in the state are called upon to render to the assessors a report before Oct. 15, giving the number of miles operated and the total annual gross receipts and in accordance with this provision both the Lowell and Suburban and Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill have submitted their reports and the amount of the tax has been computed.

The law and all its bearings is a long one but below is enough to show its relations to the city of Lowell.

Section 6. Every street railway company shall on or before the 15th day of October in each year make and file in the office of the board of assessors of every city and town in which any portion of the railway operated by it is situated, a return signed and sworn to by its president and treasurer stating the length of track operated by it in public ways in such city or town, and also the total length of track operated by it in public ways, determined as provided in section two of this act, and also the amount of its gross receipts during the year ending on the 30th day of September next preceding, which gross receipts shall include all amounts received by it from the operation of its railway but shall not include income derived from sale of power, rental of tracks or other sources.

Section 7 provides that the assessors shall on receiving the report of the railway company, assess before the first day of November on each railway company operating in the city limits an excise tax. In the case of companies whose gross receipts per mile of track operated both in and out of the city are $4000 or less, the tax shall be 1 per cent. of the total annual gross receipts; in case the gross receipts are $4000 and less than $7000, 2 per cent. of the gross receipts; in case the receipts are $7000 and less than $11,000, 2 1-4 per cent.; and when $11,000 and less than $21,000, 2 1-2 per cent.; $21,000 and less than $23,000, 2 3-4 per cent; and $23,000 or more, 3 per cent of the total annual gross receipts.

These excise taxes shall be in addition to the taxes now provided by law.

Section 9 provides for the notification of the collector of taxes by the assessors as to the amount of the tax on the company or companies and on the notification of the treasurer of the company by the collector of taxes, the excise tax levied becomes due within 30 days.

According to the figures made out by the assessors the Lowell and Suburban company's tax will be $1610.29 and the tax of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill, $291.80. The former road's gross earnings for the year are between $4000 and $7000. So the tax is at the rate of 2 per cent. The L. L. & H. gross receipts per mile are between $7000 and $15,000 and the tax is accordingly 2 1-4 per cent., the small mileage within the city limits, reaching as it does only from Merrimack Square to the Dracut line, accounting for the smallness of the tax compared with the Lowell & Suburban's.

The tax goes entirely to the city or town within whose limits it is levied.

THE TRANSVAAL

LECTURE ON TIMELY TOPIC TOMORROW EVENING.

The lecture on the Transvaal in Y. M. C. I. hall, Stackpole street tomorrow evening promises to be a highly entertaining one, in view of the fact that the eyes of the world are now turned upon that heretofore unknown country. The lecturer will be Rev. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., a former missionary in the Transvaal and Orange Free State and one of the few men in this country who is familiar with the place, its people, their life, manners, customs and government. As the admission is only 25 cents it will be well to get there early. The Y. M. C. I. is to be congratulated for its enterprise in getting so distinguished a lecturer upon so timely a topic.

Y. M. C. I. BOWLING.

The Y. M. C. I. is to have a big bowling tournament at its alleys beginning one week from Monday. Eight teams are entered already and a good time is expected.

SIX MONTHS' TREATMENT FOR ONE DOLLAR
Dr. Burkhart's VEGETABLE COMPOUND.
Is sold under a bona fide guarantee to cure the following symptoms: Pains in the Side, Back, under the Shoulder Blade, Smothering Sensations, Palpitation of the Heart, Tired Feeling, Poor Appetite, Coated Tongue, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Blotches or Pimples on the Face, Dizziness, Etc.
A Wreck for Twenty-Six Years.
I was a captain in the late war and contracted Catarrh and Rheumatism. My system had been a wreck for 26 years. A treatment of Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound made me well. Capt. R. P. Hurst, St. Louis, Mo.
For sale by all druggists. "Thirty days" treatment for 25c.; "seventy days" treatment 50c.; "Six months" treatment, $1.00. "Ailments" free and confidential free.
DR. W. S. BURKHART, Cleveland, O.

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WEDNESDAY, Oct. 8th.

The first annual dispersal sale of Trotting Stock, Trotting Bred Road Horses, Gentlemen's Driving Horses, and Family Horses at the Lookout Farm South Natick, Mass., is to take place Wednesday, Nov. 8th, 1899, beginning promptly at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon regardless of weather or attendance. Thirty head will be offered and sold no matter what is bid for them.

The sale will include Gurgles Boy (4) 2.15 1-4; Bermuda Wilkes (3), 2.24 1-4; trial 2.18 on half mile track; Nelson Allin, 2.24 1-4, trial 2.14 1-4; Daisy C., 2.25; Nordhoff, 2.29 1-2, trial 2.23 this year; Succeed, full brother to Gurgles Boy, (3), 2.18 3-4; Speaker Reed, by May King, the sire of Bingen, 2.06 1-4; also the Nelson Wilkes (Nelson's), Aegon, Bermuda, Stamboula, Sir Walter, Jr., Edgemark and Constantine.

With one exception the youngest animal to be sold is past three years of age. Nearly all are good size; all are excellent color; every one is perfectly broken, has good manners; there are many elegant road horses; all have some very fast brush horses; all have more or less action and a few have extreme action. As a matter of fact the sale presents a lot of high class and fashionable horses. You can see, examine and ride after them any time during the day on the Monday or Tuesday preceding the day of sale.

Should the day selected for the sale prove unpleasant or stormy there is ample room in the immense barns for the sale to take place under cover. Barges will meet the 9.30, 10.32, and 11 o'clock trains via B. & A. R. R. from the new South Terminal Station in Boston, at Wellesley, to take all passengers to the farm who may care to attend the sale. Barges will also meet the passengers from the electric cars in the square at So. Natick up to 1 o'clock noon, the day of sale. The term will be cash or satisfactorily endorsed bankable paper. Send to the office of the auctioneers by mail or otherwise for descriptive catalogue.

CHARLES WHITTEMORE, Proprietor Lookout Farm.

DEWEY'S WEDDING

Will Take Place on Thanksgiving Day

ARCHBISHOP KEANE TO OFFICIATE

He May Now Run for President

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen will be married on Thanksgiving Day. This is the prediction now made by intimate friends and as neither will deny the rumor, it is believed that the lack of contradiction is corroboration of the statement. Thanksgiving is par excellence the American wedding day and as both the bride and groom-to-be are staunch patriots, it seems eminently proper for them to join their lives on this day.

Archbishop Keane, it is said, will officiate at the ceremony. It was the archbishop who when rector of the Catholic University here, received Mrs. Hazen into the Catholic church and as long as he remained here he acted as her confessor and adviser. A special dispensation from Rome will probably be secured to allow the ceremony to be performed at St. Matthew's church. As the admiral is not a Catholic, the service could not be performed in the church without papal sanction.

Immediately after the wedding, it is said, Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will make an extended tour. Their honeymoon will take in a number of cities that have sent pressing invitations to the national hero, which up to the present he has been unable to accept.

THE MOST CHARMING WOMAN.

Mrs. Mildred Hazen, whom Admiral Dewey has called the most charming woman in the world, is 43 years old. She is not tall but has a very fine figure. A demi-brunette she has a clear, rosy complexion, blue eyes and dark hair finged with gray which she wears rolled high from her forehead. Her manner is vivacious and she has a very keen sense of humor. She is at her best when she tells a witty story. Although unassuming, the admiral's bride to be has much strength of character.

The wedding without doubt will be as brilliant as the high position of the admiral and the wealth and social prestige of Mrs. Hazen lead society to expect.

Col. Archibald Hopkins, who is the author of the poem toasting the admiral and which was read at a recent dinner, said in substance yesterday that Admiral Dewey would be willing to accept the republican nomination for president.

Col. Hopkins explained that he knew the admiral's dislike for politics and that on several occasions the latter expressed his distaste to a possible nomination for the presidency. The colonel said he felt satisfied, however, that if Ohio went democratic this fall, and other critical states did the same, and that it should appear that the republican party was in danger of defeat in the national election next year, Admiral Dewey would accept the nomination of the republican party if it were tendered him. Colonel Hopkins is one of Admiral Dewey's closest friends. Indeed he may be said to rank as the admiral's chief friend. Therefore it is natural that his statement should have aroused no end of comment and interest.

It is significant in view of Senator Proctor's alleged purpose to draw the admiral forth as the republican party's emergency presidential candidate. The senator has denied that he has any such purpose in view, but the politicians think the denial is purely Pickwickian and that Senator Proctor has the desire at least and the purpose if possible, to do this very thing.

The matter is interesting from the fact that the admiral's impending marriage is expected to exert an influence upon him in favor of a political life, for Mrs. Hazen is experienced in social and political Washington and is credited with the loftiest ambitions.

DEWEY'S SURRENDER.

Put up the gun and clanging sword,
Which such a famous victory scored,
And stop the cheers of shouting hordes
In patriot hearts engendered!
Furl tight the flag which put to shame
The Spanish host and brought him fame,
For Dewey has surrendered!

Far deadlier than the shells he sent,
Was Cupid's shaft, upon him bent,
And youthful hope and discontent
That tiny dart engendered.
The Spaniards' screaming shot and shell,
The smiling hero missed. Ah, well,
When Cupid's arrow struck, he fell
And Fame to Love surrendered!

—Willis Leonard Clanahan.

DEWEY'S CHINESE VALET.

Admiral Dewey is worried over the prospect of losing his Chinese valet. The boy has been with him for many months, and has made himself almost invaluable to the hero of Manila. When the admiral came home he brought this Chinese boy with him and still has him in his service but under the laws of this country, as he is a Chinese, he cannot remain here more than six months, and now that the admiral has settled in his home, he is asking:

"What is to become of this gallant little Chinese boy?"

The other day when the delegation from Tennessee visited the admiral and asked him to go south, the admiral took occasion to ask Congressman Gaines, who was a member of the committee the question which seems to be worrying him. Admiral Dewey had just announced to his visitors the fact of his engagement to Mrs. Hazen, but in his own happiness he did not forget that of his faithful Chinese valet. He sent for the boy and when he arrived, Admiral Dewey turned to Representative Gaines and said he hoped congress would permit him to keep this gallant little Chinese boy in this country. He then explained the law in regard to the Chinese and expressed his anxiety for the future of the boy.

Continuing, he said: "This boy has a medal for gallantry for having served in the American navy and he wants to remain in this country, but under the present ruling of the law, he cannot remain here over six months."

Mr. Gaines immediately said that he would offer a resolution in the house as soon as congress met, making provision whereby this little Chinese could remain in the United States permanently. This seemed to give great comfort to Admiral Dewey and the Chinese boy showed his gratitude by shaking hands warmly with the Tennessee congressman and thanking him for his interest in his behalf.

MOLLY VARNUM CHAPTER.

The regular meeting of the Molly Varnum Chapter, D. A. R., was held in Memorial hall, yesterday afternoon. No business was transacted. At a meeting of the board of management, Mrs. Nesmith resigned the office of regent and the board as provided in the by-laws of the chapter filled the vacancy, electing Mrs. Henry M. Thompson regent until the next annual meeting. Mrs. Edward W. Burke was chosen vice regent.

A FEW HINTS

To Our Local Bicycle Riders

ON STORAGE OF THEIR WHEELS

During the Coming Winter Season

The majority of the cyclists are now thinking of storing their wheels away for the winter. A great deal of care should be taken as to how they are cared for during the idle season. Many people take their wheel to pieces, give it a good coating with vaseline and leave it apart all winter. There is no need of doing this, for the pieces are apt to get lost during the three or four months that the wheel is not in use.

Probably one of the most important points to remember is to store the wheel in a place that is not too hot or cold. If it is left in too warm a place it will crack all the enamel and make it chip off, and if the wheel is taken from a hot place and taken out in the cold air and ridden some part of the machine is apt to break. Many accidents have happened to riders storing their wheels in a hot room or sometimes in the cellar near a boiler, and when a good day came when the ground was dry they would take their wheel out for a ride, and the difference in the temperature would be so vast as to cause some part of the frame or forks to crack.

The cause for the cracking of the steel is due to the fact that while the wheel is lying in a hot room the steel expands, and the sudden change of temperature from the hot room to the cold air outside causes the steel to contract with such force as to crack it.

It is equally as bad to leave a bicycle in a cold place during the winter. If left in a cold room the nickel will get rusty and the enamel will turn from the bright enamel to look like a dull coat of paint. The parts of the machine also get stiff and work hard, after taken out, if left in a cold place.

A cold place will also turn the spokes rusty and after a short period they will snap in two. The cement on the tires and the grips of the handlebars will harden and crumble if left in too cold a room.

The best way to care for a wheel during the snowy weather is to give the wheel a good outside cleaning, and then rub vaseline all over the steel parts and leave a good coating on it. Then hang two pieces of rope from the ceiling of the attic or cellar, and tie one under the saddle and the other on the handlebars near the head. Have a bag made out of any kind of cloth so as to completely cover the wheel. If this simple care is taken of your wheel when you store it away it will be as good as new when taken out in the spring.

It is also a good idea to loosen all the nuts when storing the wheel away, for they are apt to crack when turned too tight.

In the spring when the wheel is taken down all the vaseline should be wiped off until the frame is thoroughly dry. If it is hard to get off with a dry cloth a little application of hot water will take it all off.

It is a good thing, also, to take the machine apart before riding it after being stored away all winter. By taking it apart in the spring and giving it a good cleaning, soaking the balls and chain in naphtha or benzine, the wheel will run all season without taking apart.

For any one who keeps their wheel in a room or hallway and cannot put vaseline on it, the next best thing to do is to pump the tires up fairly hard and turn the wheel upside down, so as to let the wheel rest on the handlebars and saddle. This keeps the tires in good condition. If a machine is left resting on the tires, the tires after a while get deflated and form ridges. When the tire is inflated it cracks and becomes porous. It is better to keep the tires fairly well inflated and save the expense of buying a new pair.

Some people take the chain of the bicycle and let it rest in kerosene, naphtha, benzine or some other liquid during the whole winter, and then take it out in the spring and replace it on the sprockets. This is a bad idea, for it tends to weaken the chain.

SUCCESSFUL DANCE

MANAGED BY THE JOLLY EIGHT CLUB OF COLLINSVILLE.

The Jolly Eight, a social organization of Collinsville managed a successful dance at Willow Dale last evening. Many were present from Lowell and a general good time was enjoyed by all. The Cadet orchestra furnished music and dancing was enjoyed until midnight. The following officers had charge of the affair: General manager, Charles Horman; assistant general manager, Peter Mend; floor director, John Laffey; assistant floor director, John Nolan; chief aid, Harry Horman; aids, Frank Cullinen, John Marley and Thomas Horman.

CELEBRATED 90th BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Minerva R. Worcester, widow of Leonard Worcester, observed her 90th birthday anniversary yesterday in a quiet and informal manner. Her four children were present and the occasion was made a happy family reunion. Her son William H., came all the way from Canton, O., to be present on the happy occasion, and her other children are Eben C., of Boston, Leonard A., and Martha P., of this city.

Mrs. Worcester is a native of Sharon, Vermont, but is an old resident of Lowell, having lived in her present home at the corner of Bartlett and Alder streets more than 50 years. Her husband died in 1893. She is remarkably bright and active for her years retaining her faculties to a marvelous degree. She is a member of the High street church.

ENJOYABLE PARTY.

A belated correspondent requests the publication of the following:

A very pleasant Hallowe'en party was held at 42 Fulton street. Games were enjoyed and songs were rendered by Messrs. John Gilbride, P. W. Garrity; stump speeches were delivered by Henry O'Brien; buck and wing dance by Mr. M. Monahan; also cake walk by the party; won by Mr. Edward Cunningham and Lizzie Barry. Refreshments were served by Misses Garrity, Barry and Gallagher. The accompanist of the evening was Mr. Charles Dugan.

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FIRST SOCIAL.

The first social of the L. and H. club was held last night at Elvin's hall, about seventy-five couples participating. There were twenty numbers on the program and dancing was continued to a late hour. The officers of the affair were: General manager, E. A. Lundberg; assistant general manager, L. N. Norton; floor director, E. McLean; assistant, Albert Anderson; aids, Messrs. C. Christinnson, J. L. McLean, L. Lyness, C. H. Shepard, F. Barrows, and J. R. Williams.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

The overseers of the poor met at city hall last evening to approve bills. No other business of importance was transacted.

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THE SUN EXTRA!

6 O'CLOCK

EVACUATED

British Troops Withdraw From Colenso

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—It is officially announced that the British have evacuated Colenso, south of Ladysmith.

NEWS CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—The war office later issued the following announcement:

"The colonial office has received information to the effect that British troops have withdrawn from Colenso, and have concentrated further south, but w have no news of an engagement in that neighborhood."

CROSSED THE BRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BURGHERSDORP, Cape Colony, Nov. 2.(Delayed in transmission)—The Boers crossed Bethulie bridge this morning. About 300 more of them are expected to cross this afternoon.

WAR OFFICE RETICENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The war office afternoon today repeated the statement of yesterday that belated despatches from Ladysmith were coming through. There was nothing given out, however.

Nothing has been received to corroborate the reiterated reports from Berlin of the captitulation of Gen. White.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Pietermaritzburg dated November 1, said Ladysmith was perfectly quiet this morning and another from the same place to the company said that numbers of women and children left Ladysmith yesterday evening on a passenger train escorted by an armored train.

A third dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company dated Cape Town, November 1, announced that the Boers had entered Cape Colony at Norvals Spruit, destroying several bridges.

The British troopship Rapidan which sailed for South Africa, November 1, from Liverpool is returning in a damaged condition, having encountered yesterday's storm. She signalled that her fittings were out of order and that several horses were dead and three of her boats were stove in. She is going to Liverpool to be refitted.

LONDON FEARS THE WORST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The following official announcement has been made by the war office:

"No news has been received from Ladysmith up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. We therefore presume that the wires are still interrupted."

In spite of the silence the officials in the war office did not credit the various rumors as to the position of the garrison and grave anxiety is felt at present regarding the ability of Gen. White to hold his own.

The fact that the British war office has received no news of the situation at Ladysmith seems to effectually dispose of yesterday's continental rumors of Gen. White's captitulation and kindred stories as, if the general had sustained a severe reverse, there is reason to believe that General Joubert would have been only too glad to forward Gene al White's official announcement of the fact to the nearest telegraph station, while it is added had news of such a serious character reached a government in cipher it would undoubtedly have been promptly conveyed to the British government. As the Mozambique cable is still broken, it is impossible for any uncensored messages to reach Europe with the exceptions of the despatches of foreign governments and it is further pointed out that in view of the fact that an important victory would be of the greatest moral assistance to the Boers it seems obvious that the Boer sympathizers would make such an event known as quickly and as widely as possible. The war office here is making every endeavor to communicate with Ladysmith. In the meanwhile the best opinion is satisfied that if General White keeps strictly on t he defensive he will be able to hold his own. The British experts smile at the Boer plan of campaign, which contemplates seizing Durban in order ton revent the landing of British troops there.

These forces are not overwhelming, but the Dutch in the neighborhood of Colesburg and Burghersdorp are exceptionally pro-Boer and their support is evidently expected. The objective point of this force of Boers will probably be Naauw port, one of the most important strategic railroad points in South Africa and which will probably be, it is said here, the first advanced depot of the second division of the army corps. Naauw port is understood to be well garrisoned and able to take care of itself. Trains hence to Colesburg have been almost suspended.

The dispatches from Ladysmith, though three days old, are regarded here as being more cheering and as indicating that the Boers are not disposed to come to close quarters.

Advices from Cape Town show that the people there are beginning to realize the seriousness of the situation in Natal. The merchants are apprehensive of the Boers over-running the entire country, and it is reported that many of them have instructed their representatives to leave Pietermaritzburk.

In spite of the optimism of the military men there is a feeling of general anxiety at Cape Town. The Orange river is reported to be so swollen that the drifts are impassable, and the Boers hold the wagon bridge at Philippolis, which is the only means of crossing.

NAVAL GUNS MOUNTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LADYSMITH, Nov. 1.—(Afternoon, via Cape Town).—Four naval long range guns have been mounted here.

35 BATTALIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—An army order issued last evening, instructs the proper authorities to mobilize 35 battalions of militia at their respective headquarters on various dates after Nov. 20.

REJOICING IN AMSTERDAM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—There is great rejoicing here over the Boer victory which is now believed to include the capture of Ladysmith. The British ambassador has left the city owing to the demonstrations of joy.

BUILDING DEFENSIVE WORKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A Daily Telegraph despatch got through Tuesday afternoon says that defensive works were then in course of construction upon the hills near Ladysmith, and it was expected the big naval guns would be mounted at once. Ladysmith, he also says, is provisioned for two months.

All accounts concur in showing that Gen. Joubert's forces suffered severely from our artillery fire on Monday, as they have in every encounter.

GEN. KOCK'S BODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 1, (Delayed in transmission).—According to an undated dispatch received here from Ladysmith, the body of General Kock, the Boer commander, who was wounded at the battle of Glencoe, captured and taken to Ladysmith, where he died recently, has been taken to Pretoria. The dispatch added that the Ladysmith townspeople, including the women, witnessed the battle at Ladysmith. It was also said that the resumption of fighting was hourly expected.

The Boers are traversing Zululand, hoisting flags over the British magistracies.

KIMBERLEY SURROUNDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Kimberley correspondent of the Daily Mail in a despatch forwarded Nov. 1st and forwarded by way of Orange River, says:

"The Boers are still in force in this vicinity. On Saturday evening our patrol was fired on in the neighborhood of the Weselton mine, the enemy expending a quantity of ammunition ineffectually, however, owing to the long range. A Free States burgher with a pass from the enemy has brought 200 oxen in town. The enemy is reported to have three siege guns in position at Olifhantfontein, four miles from Weselton."

A FEW SKIRMISHES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FORT TUIT, Rhodesi, Oct. 29, (Delayed in transmission).—There have been a few skirmishes with the Boers, whose main body has retired southward.

POWELL'S REPLY.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4—"Mafeking," says the Daily Telegraph, in its summary of the news this morning, "stands as it stood. Comander Cronje has stayed the shelling of the town to find out from Col. Baden Powell if he wishes to surrender. The gallant colonel replied that he would let the Boer leader know when he had enough.

"Kimberley, too, is holding out well—at least we earn by an express rider that on Monday last, the 10th day of the siege, the most serious inconvenience complained of was the postal telegraph stoppages."

SCHOONER IN DISTRESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—A large three-masted schooner was sighted today flying signals of distress two miles off shore from the Harvey Cedars life saving station, New Barnegat, N. J. A New York wrecking company was notified.

GOOD NIGHT

WAS SPENT BY VICE PRESIDENT HOBART.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Another comfortable night was passed by Vice-President Hobart without incident and at half past seven this morning he was still sleeping. Dr. Newton, the family physician, slept, as usual in the house but he was not called upon to render any services. Neither was any member of the family obliged to sit up during the night in the sick room. One of the nurses said this morning that Mr. Hobart, while very weak, did not appear to have lost any strength in the last 24 hours. She said his vitality was remarkable and that he was living entirely on that. A constable was detailed at the house to mitigate the disturbance due to friends who called and unthinkingly rang the door bell. The telephone in the house has been disconnected and every precaution taken to insure quiet.

WANTED FOR LARCENY.

Inspector Laflamme went to Nashua this morning and arrested Benjamin Jackson, alias Benjamin Lonlon, who is wanted in this city for the larceny of a watch from one Jos. Cote. Jackson is about twenty years old and prior to his going to Nashua worked in this city.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY'S WELCOME.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 4.—Rear Admiral Schley was enthusiastically welcomed to Atlanta today. The early hour of the arrival of t he train prevented a large crowd from being present at the depot, but the reception was, nevertheless, warm. In the party besides the admiral were Mrs. Schley, Miss Lotterman, General Felix Agnus and Mr. Louis Garthe of Baltimore and the Atlanta reception committee.

VESSEL ON FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Captain of schooner Catawamteak, reports that the schooner Clara from Rockland for New York is beached near Matinicock, Long Island Sound. The vessel or cargo is apparently on fire. The crew is on the beach.

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BRITISH REVERSES

Call Out Severe Criticism in England

The Heavy Losses Among the British Officers Call Forth the Suggestion That Swords be Abolished—Queen Victoria Congratulates Lord Wolseley

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Almost the only subject in discussion this week in England was the reverses suffered by General Sir George Stewart White, the British commander at Ladysmith, Natal, and this was made the occasion for pouring out torrents of lay criticism and advices. Public opinion seems fairly divided,one section bitterly blaming the general commanding and the other maintaining that he probably is not so much at fault as he made himself out. The latter section which includes many service men and nearly all the service publications urges the withholding of definite criticism, pending more detailed accounts. The Naval and Military Record, after expressing this sentiment, sums up the situation as follows:

"Considering the nature of the country the lamentable unpreparedness of England and the unwillingness of the opposition to allow a British regiment to go to South Africa until President Kruger's ultimatum was received, it is almost surprising that we have been able to hold our own so far. Not only have the Boers proved themselves determined fighters and splendid sharpshooters, as we knew them to be, but they have developed surprisingly military and strategic qualities.

"They have nearly surrounded every garrison we hold and have invariably occupied almost unassailable positions, fighting with great courage. Against such fighters our little force, left isolated far from our bases without hope of relief for days to come has not only done splendid work, but has gained successes which we venture to believe no other soldiers in the world placed in similar positons and in similar unfortunate conditions could have achieved."

Although this may fairly be said to represent the conservative military opinions, its reference to the action of the opposition as preventing the sending of troops in good time is entirely erroneous. The failure to send out troops enough cannot be charged to the opposition for parliament was not then sitting. If there were any intention to hold Natal at all costs, an adequate force should have been sent out by October 1, when the excuse that such reinforcements might be taken by the Boers as a menace, no longer held good, as the Indian troops were already on the way.

A high government official said to the correspondent of The Associated Press that the broad lines of policy affecting Natal had been much misunderstood.

"We are often asked," he said, "why we sent Sir George Stewart White up the Nack of Natal unless we were sure he could hold it. Considering the tremendous reinforcements now on the way to him, it occurs to almost everybody at first sight that he might to have retired, without risking engagements but it is forgotten what would happen in Natal unless we made a vigorous stand there.

"Natal has risked her little all on behalf of the empire and the least we can do is to risk something ourselves and to prevent the over-running of her prosperous towns and rich fields by hordes of the enemy. Purely military consideration, I admit, might point to the fact that we ought immediately to have withdrawn from our advanced positions; but purely military considerations have sometimes to be subordinated to the interests of the empire, and, although many good lives have been lost in such a cause, they have not been wasted."

Several small detachments of county yeomanry are going out, independent of the war office, to the seat of war, in the chance of joining the Imperial Light Horse, Lord Lonsdale and Lord Harris, both Yeomanry officers, and are aiding this movement.

The heavy losses among the British officers in Natal have led the Military Journal to suggest that the sword be abolished, not only on account of its uselessness, but also because its glitter attracts the aim of an enemy and indicates the officer.

Her Majesty, it is reported, has personally conveyed to Field Marshal Lord aGnet Wolesley, an expression of her gratification at the manner in which the whole military machine has worked since it was first set in motion by the Boer ultimatum, especially in the matter of mobilization. Apparently the crisis has not forgotten the existence of the commander-in-chief, a lap—y memory to which the public is now rather prone and which, so it is said, the Marquis of Lansdowne committed intentionally.

Although no orders have yet been received for the commission of additional warships, there is little doubt judging from the activity on board them that the first class protected cruisers Amphitrite, Arlandne, D'Arquret and Blake and the second class protected cruisers Charybdis will soon hoist the flag. In addition to these there is now at Chatham a powerful reserve fleet consisting of two battleships, three first-class cruisers, six second-class cruisers, two third-class cruisers, six torpedo boat destroyers, and seven torpedo boats, ready for all eventualities.

Lord Hillwedon, of the banking house of Glynn, Miles & Company, in a recent address before the Institute of Bankers, said that the increase in the Transvaal gold output for the year ending August 31, amounted to more than £3,000,000. He said he believed the world's gold production during the present year would be nearly twice as much as it was ten years ago. Referring to the enormous proportion of the gold fields of the world now under British control, he congratulated the bankers upon the fact that the Venezuelan boundary award had added to Great Britain's share almost the whole of the extensive gold fields of that region.

MRS. LANTRY'S DENIAL.

Mrs. Langtry, on learning of the circulation of reports representing that she and her husband, Hugo d Bathe, had separated, sent the following to dispatch to the Associated Press:

"Such rumors are preposterous. Please contradict in both our names. My husband is taking the cure at Aix and will return to London in a night. We are looking forward to my erican tour."

The place of honor in the Grafton gallerirs is now devoted to a decorative painting by Puvis de Chavannes for the Boston public library. It represents the Muses raising a hymn of praise to Genfor, all the figures being of life size. The work is favorably criticised.

Mr. J. B. Robinson, the South African millionaire, writes that General White is perfectly safe if he sits tight at Ladysmith, refusing to be induced by the usual Boer tactics into being drawn out with the view of inflicting a defeat on the Boers. But previous experience of General White's tactics leaves room for much uneasiness during the coming week.

Next Saturday Major General Buller's troops will begin to arrive in South Africa and unless he decides to begin an invasion of the Orange Free State through De Aar Junction or send troops to co-operate directly with General White the situation will be immediately relieved.

The weekly papers are following the lead of dailies in dwelling on the value of the friendship of the United States. The Spectator says:

"Apart from their feelings as kinsmen the Americans are, we believe, universally aware that we saved them from European intervention during the Spanish war and would hail with delight the opportunity of paying off that debt. That feeling which is well known on the continent greatly tends to save the European foreign office from entertaining rash suggestions."

A BOLD BURGLAR

Entered a House on Concord Street

DURING THE DEAD OF NIGHT

Failed to Secure Any Plunder, However

The house of David O'Connell, 167 Concord street, was entered by a bold burglar shortly before 12 o'clock last night. Mrs. O'Connell was awakened by a noise at the door. She immediately awakened her husband and they heard someone at the door say: "Open this door."

Mr. O'Connell replied that he would in a minute. His wife and two daughters, however, would not permit him to go to the door, fearing that the man might do him bodily harm. The O'Connells occupy the upper portion of a two-tenement block. Mrs. O'Connell and her daughters became excited and they opened the windows and began to yell for police.

Mr. O'Connell would not open the door, despite the threats of the burglar, which the man evidently was. The man soon went away from the door and walked out into the yard. He did not go away, however, notwithstanding the cries of Mrs. O'Connell and the two girls. He was a bold fellow and stood under one of the windows for more than a half hour.

Notwithstanding the fact that the female occupants of the house yelled continuously for the police for more than three quarters of an hour, yet no officer could be found and it was not until 3 o'clock this morning that an officer appeared on the scene. The man stood under the window for about half an hour and then walked out of the yard leisurely and disappeared down the street.

After he went away Mr. O'Connell opened the door and came down stairs. He found the door leading into the yard opened and there were a number of burnt matches on the stairs. This morning the cellar window was found opened and it is possible that the burglar gained entrance through the window.

The fellow failed to carry off any plunder. The police authorities have been notified and will endeavor to find the bold culprit. Mrs. O'Connell, although considerably frightened at the time is confident she could identify the man if she saw him again.

The police officer on the beat was severely criticised by Mr. O'Connell for his tardiness in appearing on the scene.

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HARVARD LEADS

(Continued from Page One.)

direct to their training quarters where a light luncheon was served. The Harvard team did nothing except to go through the signals. When the game began there was a very stiff wind blowing from the west and the air was raw for spectators. Notwithstanding the heavy soaking, the field is in fair condition, although it seemed a trifle too wet for quick end plays and mass formations.

All the seats were taken when two o'clock came and the scene was a pretty one. The big Harvard contingent regalfiaed in crimson colors, occupied sections of the north stand and held its own when it came to cheering. The big crowd amused itself in singing songs and yelling their college cries.

The Harvard team ran on to the field at 1.54 and was cheered by the entire assemblage. Two minutes later the Pennsylvania team made its appearance and the stands fairly shook with applause.

Pennsylvania won the toss and took the west goal with the wind at their backs. Burnett kicked off for Harvard at 2.03. Hare caught the ball on Pennsylvania's 5-yard line, making 12 yards before he was downed. Centre plunges by Pennsylvania gave her the first down.

On the next play, Pennsylvania fumbled the ball. Harvard got the ball on Pennsylvania's 20-yard line. Reid made his length through right tackle and Harvard gained first down on the next play. Reid gained his length through the center and on the play Harvard was downed without gaining, the ball now being on Pennsylvania's 12 yard line. The stands went wild when Reid's kick was blocked as he attempted to make a field goal and Outland got the ball on Pennsylvania's 3-yard line. Harvard was penalized five yards for off-side play.

Coombs kicked to Pennsylvania's 35-yard line and Harvard ran it back five yards. Reid made five yards around left end and the first player was knocked out. a Pennsylvania man. Reid was sent through center for a short gain and gained first down on an end run. Harvard then made 20 yards around Pennsylvania's right end and the ball was then on Pennsylvania's 5-yard line. On the next play Kendall carried it over for a touchdown.

Score—Harvard, 5; Pennsylvania, 0.

The kickout went wild and no goal was kicked.

Hare kicked to Sawin on Harvard's 20-yard line where he was downed. Harvard made seven yards around Pennsylvania's left end and Kendall one around the right end. Hallowell kicked to Kennedy on Pennsylvania's 35-yard line and the latter was thrown for a loss of 10 yards by Daly.

Centre plays by Pennsylvania gave her 5 yards and guards back netted one more. Wallace broke through Bom and made 25 yards, he being downed on Harvard's 25 yard line.

Coombs kicked to Harvard's 30 yard line and the Harvard man was downed. Daly made 23 yards around right-end, and Hallowell kicked to Pennsylvania's 40 yard line. Kennedy fumbled Pennsylvania losing 3 yards, and then Coombs kicked to Harvard's 35 yard line and Harvard got a free kick.

Burnett's place kick was caught by Outland, who made 5 yards before he was downed on Pennsylvania's 40 yard line.

A fumble lost Pennsylvania 7 yards. Barnard kicked to Harvard's 15 yard line. Kendall made 5 yards before he was downed. Kendall made another 5 around Pennsylvania's left-end and Reid went around Pennsylvania's right-end for 5 more. Reid made a run of fifty yards for a touchdown, but it was not allowed, the ball being brought back to where it was put in play and given to Pennsylvania for holding on the Quaker 50 yard line.

Barnard made 3 yards through the centre. Harvard got the ball on downs. Sawin made 50 yards around the left-end and was finely tackled by Hare on Pennsylvania's 35 yard line.

Harvard made 10 yards around Pennsylvania's end and Kendall was downed for no gain. Sawin made 5 yards around left-end. Point went off injured and Stehle came on.

Reid made 3 yards through centre and Harvard lost a yard on an attempted end run, the ball being downed on Pennsylvania's 18 yard line.

Reid made 3 through Pennsylvania's right-tackle.

Reid then was sent against the line and made 3 yards more.

Reid was sent against the centre again and took the ball to Pennsylvania's one yard line.

Here the ball was fumbled, a Pennsylvania made getting it, the play resulting in a touch-back.

Franklin Field—Coombs' kick was blocked, but Hare got the ball and made 7 yards before he was downed. Coombs kicked to Harvard's 40 yard line, where it was fumbled, and before Harvard's man could fall on it, it rolled back to the 25 yard line.

Sawin went around right end for 10 yards and Hallowell kicked out of bounds at Harvard's 40-yard line. Hare failed and Barnard's attempt at a field goal was a failure. Hallowell kicked to Pennsylvania's 50 yard line and McCracken made five yards on the catch.

Pennsylvania kicked to Harvard's 31 yard line. Hallowell kicked to Pennsylvania's 45-yard line and Harvard got the ball on Kennedy's fumble.

A trick play netted Harvard 15 yards Sawin was successfully used for line plunges. He finally lost the ball on downs on Pennsylvania's 15-yard line. Coombs kicked to Pennsylvania's 47-yard line and Harvard made 8 yards around right end and 12 more around left. The Crimson then lost 5 yards on two plays. Pennsylvania got the ball on downs and kicked out of bounds on Pennsylvania's 42-yard line.

Second half—Hare kicked off for Pennsylvania at 3.16 p. m. The only change was Ellis in place of Reid at full-back for Harvard.

Harvard returned the kick to Pennsylvania's 20 yard line. Centre plunges gave Pennsylvania ten yards and Coombs fumbled a pass and Harvard got the ball on Pennsylvania's 30 yard line.

Ellis went through centre for 5 yards and Wallace was hurt in the scrimmage.

Another plunge netted Harvard three yards more and then Sawin took the ball through for five more bringing it to Pennsylvania's 19 yard line. Ellis bucked for 4 yards and a mass play gave Harvard first down on Pennsylvania's 5-yard line.

Plunges carried the ball to Pennsylvania's 2-yard line and at 3.26 Ellis carried it over for a touch-down. Lawrence kicked the goal. Score: Harvard, 11; Pennsylvania 0.

Outland went to half back, Woodley going on for Pennsylvania at quarter in place of Kennedy. Hare kicked to Harvard's 5-yard line and the ball was immediately returned to Pennsylvania's 50-yard line.

Pennsylvania took Barnard off, McCracken going to full-back. Smith who came on replaced McCracken at right half. Kennedy came back in Outland's place. The changes in Pennsylvania's team infused new life and they carried the ball 13 yards on plunges.

This style of play was continued until they got the ball on Harvard's 24-yard line where they lost it on holding. Hallowell kicked for Harvard to Pennsylvania's 52-yard line.

McCracken made 3 yards and Smith failed to gain.Coombs kick was blocked and Hallowell fell on the ball on Harvard's 47 yard line.

Hallowell kicked over Pennsylvania's line for a touch-back. Coombs kicked out of bounds and the ball was repeated. This time he kicked to Pennsylvania's 19 yard line, Hallowell making a fair catch.

Barnett failed to kick goal from field from a place kick and Pennsylvania got the ball on her own 25-yard line.

Woodley was hurt and J. Gardner came on in his place at quarter for Pennsylvania.

Smith made 3 yards around left end. Harvard got the ball on downs on Pennsylvania's 15-yard line. Harvard resorted to the guards back and carried the ball to Pennsylvania's 10-yard line on two downs. She continued this system of play and soon had the ball over Pennsylvania's line for a touchdown at 3.57.

Ellis carried the ball over. Lawrence failed to kick the goal. Score, Harvard 16, Pennsylvania 0.

Pennsylvania's kick was returned to Pennsylvania 45-yard line. McCracken made three yards and Hare failed to gain. McCracken made one yard and it was Pennsylvania's ball on downs. McCracken made 4 yards through left tackle.

Eaton took Donalds place at left tackle.

Pennsylvania failed to make 5 yards and lost on downs. Hallowell kicked to Pennsylvania's 15 yard line.

Pennsylvania could only advance the ball a couple of yards, and Hare kicked to midfield where Hallowell returned the kick to Pennsylvania's 37 yard line.

Heal went off and Sargent took his place at left-guard for Harvard.

Harvard got the ball on Pennsylvania's 35 yard line through a fumble by Hare.

Harvard got 10 yards on three centre plunges.

At this juncture Pennsylvania got the ball on Eaton's offside play on her 23 yard line.

Pennsylvania could not advance the ball and Coombs kicked to midfield, where Harvard made a fair catch.

Burnett tried for field goal from Pennsylvania's 55 yard line, but the kick was blocked.

It was Pennsylvania's ball on her 25 yard line, where a fumble gave it to Harvard.

The game ended in a free fight for the possession of the ball. A Pennsylvania man ran off the gridiron with the ball, which Harvard wanted for a trophy. Immediately half a dozen of the two teams were slugging each other and a couple thousand men were on the field in an instant.

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SUNDAYS, 7.10, 7.25, w8.15, 9.13, 9.19 a. m., w12.05, w4.35, 4.25, w6.30, 5.04, w7.35, p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.33, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w11.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.10, w3.55, 4.18, w5.15, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w11.25 p. m.
SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.50, w7.25 p. m.

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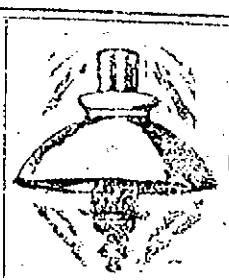
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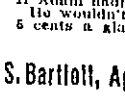
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Following is an account of the fight by rounds:

Nov. 3.—It was just 10 o'clock when Tom Sharkey worked his way through the crowd from his dressing room to the ring. He was accompanied by O'Rourke and Tim McGrath, his trainer. He took his seat in the southwest corner of the ring. Jeffries soon afterward entered the ring and shook hands with Sharkey. Sharkey remained seated while Jeffries stood up for a while talking with his attendants.

At 10.05, the announcer stated that the winner had been challenged by Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett.

Tim McGrath and O'Rourke were busy with the sponge putting the finishing touches on their man from the time he entered the ring until time was called.

The timekeeper for Sharkey was Mike Bradley and for Jeffries Al. Smith. The referee was George Siler. Billy Madden held the watch for the Coney Island club. Sharkey was clad in a green breech cloth and looked in splendid form when the bath robe was removed. Jeffries wore black tights and the story that he was not in good trim was dispelled by his appearance. In fact, both men looked the picture of health.

First round. They spurred very cautiously for a few moments and then Sharkey sent left and right to the face. The blows seemed to disconcert Jeffries for a moment and he side-stepped toward the ropes. He quickly recovered himself, however, and sent a hard left to Sharkey's jaw. They clinched and immediately separated. After a few minutes of sparring, Sharkey led again with the left for the jaw but was short and Jeffries countered heavily with a straight left on the chin. They clinched but soon parted. Sharkey again led and Jeffries side-stepped away from the blows. Sharkey led again, missed and Jeffries smiled. Sharkey again rushed and fell short and Jeffries stepping in quickly, sent the right with considerable force to the ribs. The blow caused the sailor to stagger a little but he straightened up quickly and again he rushed the Californian who met him a second time with a straight right on the ribs. Sharkey missed with the left for the jaw as the bell sounded and Jeffries laughed at his failure.

Second round. Both rushed, missed and clinched. Jeffries laughed after they broke away. He then rushed viciously, and caught the sailor in the corner and smashed him with such force on the jaw with the left as to score a knockdown. Sharkey arose in a rather dazed condition after five seconds had been counted off. He was very aggressive, however, and swung his left viciously for the head. Jeffries blocked the blow and sent the left again to the jaw, scoring another knockdown. The sailor was on his feet quickly and made a determined rush and scored with left and right on the shoulder. A hard exchange at close range followed and closed the round with Jeffries scoring smartly with left and right on the head and right on the ear. During a breakaway in this round Sharkey landed lightly with both hands on the neck and jaw.

Third round. Both came up quickly for the third round. Sharkey was the aggressor, swinging the left for the jaw and falling short. He rushed again and landed a hard left on Jeffries' mouth. Jeffries returned the compliment in the next exchange with a hard one over the heart. They came together again, both falling short. Sharkey was very wild with right and left swings in the next exchange and Jeffries easily avoided his blows. Once Sharkey feinted in so badly that he became confused and did not know what to do. Realizing that the sailor was disconcerted, Jeffries rushed and sent a terrific right-hand straight blow to the body which sent the sailor staggering against the ropes. Tom regained his position quickly, only to receive another hard blow on the ribs.

Fourth round. After some feinting, Sharkey rushed, trying to score with the left on the head, but Jeffries cleverly stepped inside the blow and it went behind the neck. After breaking away from the clinch, Jeffries rushed and sent the right hard over the heart. The blow angered Sharkey and he rushed vigorously swinging both hands. The left which was intended for the jaw, missed, but the right found a resting place on Jeffries' ribs. Every time Sharkey missed with a left lead he would clinch and Jeffries would look him square in the eye and smile. Sharkey rushed repeatedly during the closing moments of the round but failed to land an effective blow. On the other hand, Jeffries met his rushes with terrific right-handers over the heart and as the bell sounded sent a left to the jaw that made Sharkey reel toward the ropes.

Fifth round. Directly the gong sounded, Sharkey was out of his corner on a sprint and just grazed the champion's lips with a left hander. He also landed the right on Jeffries' neck. They clinched. After breaking away, Jeffries rushed and sent terrific right hand blows to the body twice in succession, sending Sharkey to the ropes and forcing him to clinch. On the breakaway, Sharkey delivered a terrific blow on the body which made Jeffries grunt. They mixed it up several times after this, and Sharkey scored heavily several times with the left on the body. Jeffries was not so successful in getting home his blows. At the conclusion of the round, Brady, on behalf of Jeffries said that Sharkey had hit Jeffries contrary to the rules and he claimed a foul on behalf of the champion. The referee, however, refused to take cognizance of the claim.

Sixth round. When this round opened, Jeffries rushed and sent a hard left to the body. Sharkey countered with a hard left swing on the chin, which shook the champion up considerably. Jeffries replied with a terrific right on the heart and for his pains received a vigorous swing on the jaw. The blow weakened Jeffries and he clinched. After this he repeatedly rested on the sailor and had to be drawn away by the referee. Sharkey, who was at his man all the while, landed repeatedly on the body and head. Sharkey was the fresher of the pair when the bell rang.

Seventh round. Jeffries opened the round with a stiff right over the heart. Sharkey replied with a right on the ribs. He followed this with a smart left on the jaw and just missed Jeffries' jaw with the right. Sharkey was very aggressive and insisted on cutting out the pace. He frequently scored with force on the body and face. Jeffries tried hard to return the blows but rarely reached the objective point. He was very tired and in all the clinches rested his weight on the Irishman. He also held Sharkey in the clinches, and the referee on several occasions was compelled to push him away. Jeffries landed only two good blows, a left on the body and a right over the heart. It was Sharkey's round.

Eighth round. Sharkey opened up briskly, sending a hard left to the body and making Jeffries clinch. The champion rested his entire weight on his plucky little opponent and the crowd hissed. In a warm exchange at close range each scored heavily on the head and body with both hands. One blow, a vicious right swing, split Sharkey's ear and caused the blood to flow freely. A clinch followed the mix-up. On the breakaway Sharkey landed a vicious left swing on the jaw, dazing the champion who clinched and refused to break until the referee pulled him away. Hot infighting followed with Sharkey scoring the greater number of blows. Jeffries was very weary when the round closed. Sharkey was comparatively fresh.

Ninth round. Sharkey was quicker out of his corner and immediately cut out the work, landing a light left on the ear. Jeffries countered with the right on the face. Sharkey rushed and sent a hard straight jab to the mouth. The blow staggered Jeffries and Sharkey was about to send the right across when Jeffries sprinted away. By side stepping, the champion kept out of range of Sharkey for a moment. He seemed very tired and was always willing to embrace Sharkey when they came to a clinch. During the clinches the sailor frequently scored with both hands on the body. These blows seemed to distress the Californian considerably. They were hard at it when the bell rang with Sharkey having the better of it and carrying off the honors. Jeffries complained of the heat at the close of the round and his seconds rolled pieces of ice over his forehead and head.

Tenth round. Sharkey opened up with a left to the body. He quickly followed with a straight left to the chin, avoiding Jeffries' return. In the next rally they exchanged hard lefts. Jeffries then rushed Sharkey to the ropes across the ring. The sailor tried to wrestle with the champion en route. They were locked when the referee interefered and cautioned both against such practices. After breaking away, Sharkey went to his man in vigorous shape and scored well with left on the body and face although Jeffries several times scored with effect with the right over the heart. Sharkey who seemed to be over-confident, kept rushing in and finally Jeffries landed a hard right with such force over the sailor's left eye as to cut a deep gash from which blood trickled freely. As the bell sounded, Jeffries landed two good rights on the ribs and a smart left on the body. Sharkey shook his head and smiled at the champion while going to his corner and Jeffries winked in return.

Eleventh round. The sailor was again the aggressor when the bell rang and rushing viciously swung right and left for the head. Jeffries blocked both blows cleverly and taking a hand at forcing matters sent the right twice with force to Sharkey's ribs. He followed with a left on the jaw and received in return a left swing on the wind that made him grunt. Sharkey made several attempts to land the right square on the jaw but the champion blocked beautifully with his right. They exchanged vicious lefts on the body. Sharkey fought a bit wild toward the close of the round, and gave Jeffries an opportunity to send his right again with staggering force to the sailor's injured eye. Just before the bell rang, Jeffries rushed the sailor across the ring and both were punching away, although almost locked when the referee interfered.

Twelfth round. Both tried with lefts for the jaw when the round opened and missed. Sharkey was not discouraged at this failure and rushed again, and again, but failed to get past Jeffries' right for the body. In the next rally they exchanged almost blow for blow, Sharkey landed with lefts on the head and Jeffries with rights on the ribs. The fighting after this was very fast, with Sharkey cutting out the pace and outpointing the champion. Both were rather tired at the close of the round. It was terrific work and fine fighting, a good exhibition of pluck and ability to take punishing on the part of both.

Thirteenth round. Considering the fast pace at which they had fought, both came out of their corners in very good shape. Sharkey, as usual, took the initiative and sent the left hard to the body. He followed this with a chopping left hand blow on the mouth and a straight left on the ribs. Jeff returned the compliment with a straight right hander over the heart. The blow however did not phase the sailor who continued his rushing tactics and kept going in on the champion all the while scoring with the left on head and body.

Fourteenth round. Sharkey came out of his corner on the run and swung the right for the jaw, but missed. Jeffries sidestepped cleverly. The sailor followed with a smart left to the body and a right for the head. Jeffries did not like the blow and showed his displeasure by clinching. They remained in the clinch until the referee went between them. On the breakaway Sharkey made Jeffries' head rock with a wicked left swing on the jaw. He followed this with a left to the pit of the stomach. Jeffries grewed up his face in apparent pain and looked at Siler, evidently wishing to convey the impression that he had been hit foul. He was almost on the defensive for the remainder of the round and Sharkey was all over him, outpointing him at the least five to one. The champion was very tired, and availed himself of every opportunity to clinch. Sharkey on the other hand looked quite fresh and willing to go to the limit.

Fifteenth round—Sharkey took the initiative in this round. He swung with the left for the jaw and missed. He countered heavily over the heart with the right stepping away and back quickly. Sharkey then sent a hard left to the jaw and the blow caused Jeffries to reel toward the ropes. The champion, however recovered himself in fairly good style and with a right swing staggered Sharkey and split his ear. Sharkey replied with a right on the left ear, splitting that member. Three hard lefts on the jaw by Sharkey were followed by the sailor sending the same hand with such force to Jeffries' nose as to split it and make the blood flow. The blow also staggered the champion, but Jeffries made a grand rally and fighting briskly for a few moments landed right and left on body and face. He staggered Sharkey with a left but Sharkey, whose recuperative powers seemed best, came back instantly and smashed the champion right and left on the body.

Sixteenth round—Several failures on the part of both men to land were finally followed by Sharkey catching Jeffries with force on the jaw in the breakaway. This blow made the Californian's head rock. Sharkey kept boring in on his man with lefts to body and head. Finally Jeffries landed a fine, straight left to the pit of the stomach and a right hard over the head, and both men were much distressed at the conclusion of the round. They had fought at a terrific pace and, considering the extreme heat, it was no wonder they were so distressed.

Seventeenth round—Sharkey forced the issue when the round opened. He missed with the left to the jaw. He was more successful next time, however, landing hard on the face. His next effort, also, was rewarded with success. It was a right on the ribs and forced Jeffries to clinch. Jeffries countered Sharkey's leads two or three times with lefts on the body, and then sprinted away. Sharkey was forcing the Californian toward the ropes just before the bell rang. At the bell he had Jeffries' head under his arm, and tried to wring it. For this he was hissed.

Eighteenth round—Directly the bell rang Sharkey made a swift movement toward the centre of the ring, feinted with the right for the body, and sent the left hard for the nose, causing blood to flow. Jeffries clinched and Sharkey landed hard with the left on the body. Jeffries looked protestingly at Siler, trying to indicate that a foul had been committed. The crowd hooted the Californian for this. Jeffries, who seemed winded and considerably distressed, tried to meet Sharkey's rushes, but rarely countered. In many instances his blows went very wide of the mark. Sharkey kept fighting in at close range all the while, and repeatedly landed on the jaw with the left. He easily outpointed the champion.

Nineteenth round—After a few moments' fighting in this round, Jeffries landed two hard lefts on the jaw and a right on the body. He claimed a foul a moment later, but the referee shook his head, and the crowd hooted. Another left in the jaw after the breakaway seemed to stir Jeffries to action, and for a moment he flattered his admirers with lefts and rights to body and head, but toward the close of the round Sharkey was scoring the greater number of blows, and his punches seemed to have the greater force.

Twentieth round—Both missed lefts, and then Sharkey scored with the left on the nose, drawing blood. Jeffries countered with the right on the sailor's damaged ear. They clinched after this and on breaking away Sharkey healed the champion with is glove and the crowd hissed. Several spirited rallies followed, during which Sharkey landed blows on the body, while Jeffries scored with straight lefts on the face and the mouth. A short time before the bell rang Jeffries put the right heavily on the sailor's jaw. The blow dazed Sharkey, and he clinched to avoid further punishment. He clung hard to Jeffries until the referee parted them. He quickly recovered from the effects of the blow and in the closing exchanges Jeffries had none the better of it.

Twenty-first round—They immediately got to a clinch when the bell rang and the referee had to part them. Sharkey rushed in the next rally, but was short, and Jeffries steadied him with a straight left on the nose. The Californian followed this with a wicked right on the ribs. He also landed a left swing, and got away without a return. The sailor clinched twice, and each time the referee had to separate them. Both were distressed when they went to their corners.

Twenty-second round—Jeffries led off with a heavy left to the body. Sharkey retaliated with a wicked right on the ribs. The sailor tried to score with his left, but Jeffries cleverly stopped the blow and sent his right so hard on Sharkey's damaged eye that it bled again. The latter blow angered Sharkey considerably, and, rushing viciously and wildly toward the champion, he missed for the head and Jeffries uppercut him with the left hand twice. The champion also landed the right hand heavily on the sailor's bad eye, making blood flow in streams. Jeffries' friends began to shout enthusiastically, while the sailor's admirers groaned. While in a clinch, Sharkey turned around to reassure his seconds by winking and remarked to O'Rourke: "I'm all right." He was, nevertheless, very tired and bleeding freely, and the referee had to drag him away from Jeffries. In the closing rallies of the round Jeffries frequently uppercut Sharkey with the left and placed the right with force over the body.

Twenty-third round—Although Sharkey was quite distressed when he went to his corner at the end of the preceding round, he came up for this round in fairly good shape, and immediately took the aggressive. He went after his man like a tiger, swinging wickedly for the jaw with both hands, but Jeffries, who now seemed to be himself, cleverly blocked the blows and ripped a right hand to jaw just as the round closed that made the sailor groggy. The sailor was reeling toward the ropes, and in a very weary condition when the round ended. Thee all of time probably saved him from a knockout. Jeffries was very strong and fighting fast.

Twenty-fourth round—Jeffries uppercut. Sharkey tried a right swing, but was short. Sharkey swung the right, but was short again, and Jeffries landed a light right. Jeffries tried to put a right across. He landed a stiff uppercut and followed it with another. He brought the right across, but it was a little wild. Sharkey was so weak he could hardly stand. Jeffries put the right and left over the heart. He kept trying with the right and left, but could not land. Sharkey was badly hurt. Jeffries put a right uppercut and tried a right jolt, but Sharkey was still on his feet. The gong alone saved Sharkey.

Twenty-fifth round—Sharkey's seconds worked like Trojans over their man during the minute's rest and sent him to the centre of the ring for the final round looking much refreshed.

As was his custom, the sailor cut out the work. He rushed wickedly with the left for the jaw but fell short, and Jeffries countered heavily with the right on the jaw, staggering the sailor. Sharkey clinched to avoid further blows and Siler had to pull him away. After the clinch Jeffries, who now showed considerable spirit, rushed smartly at his man and smashed him right and left on the body and head.

During a spirited exchange which occurred after the round had run two minutes, Jeffries' glove became loosened and fell off his left hand. Siler told Sharkey not to hit, and, at the same time, he tried to fasten the glove on the champion's hand.

The seconds of both men shouted to them to go on and finish, and they exchanged one or two blows, when Siler again came between them and refused to allow them to fight further, meanwhile trying to place Jeffries' glove on his hand. Before he succeeded in doing so, the round expired, and the fight was over. The referee announced that Jeffries was the winner. The decision was received with cheers by Jeffries friends, while Shakey's men groaned.

GEORGE SILER'S DESCRIPTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The following is a description of the battle by George Siler, the referee.

To begin with, the fight was the fastest I have ever seen. I thought when it began that it would not go over six rounds. The slugging was simply terrific. Jeffries started in with right hand body blows hard enough to stop an ordinary man or any fighter not as tough as Sharkey. It was simply remarkable that he stood them without giving way under them.

Jeffries being the longer in reach, the heavier and the more scientific, I thought that Sharkey would begin rushing tactics right from the start, and was surprised to see him stand off and spar. This, I thought, was a great advantage to Jeffries.

However, Sharkey was the first to let go, and he landed on Jeffries' breast. This set the ball a rolling. Jeffries came back with a straight left hand lead, after which he devoted all his time to Sharkey's body, landing hard and often with the right. Sharkey seemed to be all abroad in regard to his leads, going over Jeffries' shoulder repeatedly.

It looked to me that Jeffries' body blows would bring Sharkey down to a position for Jeffries to hand a knockout. Jeffries, however, paid no attention to

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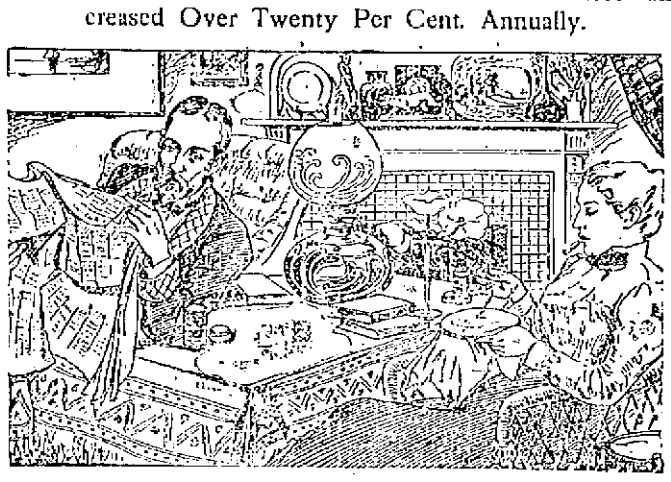
THE OLD AND THE NEW WAY

Of Treating Catarrh, Bronchitis and Consumption.

THE OLD METHOD

Under which the Death Rate from these Diseases Increased Over Twenty Per Cent. Annually.



THE NEW METHOD

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IT CURES BY INHALATION.

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The two illustrations above show more plainly than words can express, the wonderful change that has been made in the treatment of respiratory diseases during the past two years. Formerly, any sufferer from Catarrh, Asthma, Consumption or Bronchitis was at once placed under the care of some physician and dosed with all sorts of nauseating drugs and tonics. Even as far back as twenty-five years ago, the doctor seemed to be aware of the fact that in order to reach these diseases inhalation must be used, and experimented with atomizers, sprays and douches, in the hope of finding some germicide which could be forced into the bronchial tubes and lungs. That all these treatments proved practically useless is shown by the fact that, during the past twenty years the number of deaths from catarrh and consumption alone, has increased from 8,000 to over 200,000 a year. The discovery that these terrible scourges were germ diseases did not lessen the death rate, for of all the germicides known to the profession but one of them could be inhaled into the lungs, and this, Chlorine Gas, was deadly poison. The others, carbolic acid, ammonia and creosote liquids must touch the germs themselves in order to destroy; consequently, could not be used with effect, as it is absolutely impossible for moisture in any form to enter the bronchial tubes and lungs. The discovery of

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NORTH CHELMSFORD

Miss Laura G. Hoyt, teacher in the primary room of the public schools has gone to New York city where she will spend ten days visiting. During her stay in New York she will be the guest of Dr. Virgin.

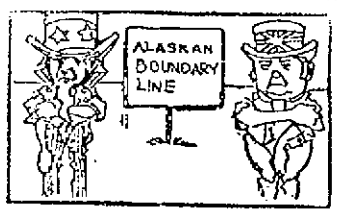
A new men's league has been organized at the Second Congregational church and at the present time the newly organized society has quite a large membership. The officers are: President, Mr. Harry C. Trombly; secretary, Mr. Arthur F. Salmon; treasurer, Mr. Preston L. Piggott. The different committees appointed at the last meeting were: Rally committee, chairman, Herbert L. Sprague; Herman Shaw, Jr.; A. C. Mitchell and Carl H. Ripley; ushering committee, J. A. Mallalieu, chairman; Carl H. Ripley, Herman Shaw, Jr., George Merrill and Edward R. Durant.

Many of our football enthusiasts will visit West Chelmsford this afternoon to see the game between the Westford academy team and the Manchesters. This will be the second time this year that these teams have been arrayed against each other and the Westford boys expect to come out victorious on their home grounds.

Mrs. F. E. Shaw and Mrs. H. G. White at the tea given on Tuesday of this week were assisted by Mrs. G. E. Nichols and Mrs. W. H. Clemence. Mrs. Davis of Haverhill delightfully entertained with songs, accompanied by Miss Fannie Robinson, on the piano.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Glidden, who have been making an extensive tour in Europe are expected home a week from tonight.



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Boston, October 23, 1899.

I certify that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated to be voted for in the county of Middlesex, November 7, 1899.

WILLIAM M. OLIN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

GOVERNOR. Mark One.

Alfred B. Coates of Beverly, Prohibition.
W. Murray Crane of Dalton, Republican.
Robert Treat Paine, Jr., of Boston, Democratic.
George R. Penro of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party.
Winfield P. Porter of Newburyport, Democratic Social. Nom. paper.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR. Mark One

John L. Bates, of Boston, Republican.
John H. Muck of North Adams, Democratic.
James H. Roberts of Cambridge, Prohibition.
Isaac W. Skinner of Brockton, Democratic Social. Nom. paper.
James F. Stevens of Boston, Socialist Labor Party.

SECRETARY. Mark One.

Charles H. Bradley of Haverhill, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
John B. Lewis, Jr., of Reading, Prohibition.
Henry Lloyd of Boston, Democratic.
Frank McDonald of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.
William M. Olin of Boston, Republican.

TREASURER. Mark One.

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield, Republican.
Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, Democratic.
Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop, Prohibition.
Frederick A. Nagle of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party.
Charles W. White of Winchester, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

AUDITOR. Mark One.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton, Democratic.
Frank Albin Forsstrom of Worcester, Socialist Labor Party.
John W. Kimball of Fitchburg, Republican.
Angus McDonald of Boston, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Franklin A. Palmer of Stockbridge, Prohibition.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL. Mark One

Addison W. Barr of Worcester, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Hosea M. Knowlton of New Bedford, Republican.
John H. Morrison of Lowell, Democratic.
Sidney Perley of Salem, Prohibition.
Walter P. J. Sheehan of New Bedford, Socialist Labor Party.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Third District.

Oliver H. Durrell of Cambridge, Republican.
John W. Lucas of Somerville, Democratic.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Fifth District.

George F. Harwood of Lynn, Republican.
Albert S. Kent of Wakefield, Socialist Labor Party.
Daniel H. Maguire of Haverhill, Democratic.

COUNCILLOR. Mark One.

Sixth District.

Marcellus H. Fletcher of Lowell, Democratic.
S. Herbert Howe of Marlborough, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

First Middlesex District.

Henry E. Bullard of Holliston, Republican.
Albert H. Roy of Ashland, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Second Middlesex District.

Edward B. James of Cambridge, Democratic.
John E. Parry of Cambridge, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Third Middlesex District.

Alvah E. Dearborn of Somerville, Democratic.
Franklin E. Huntress of Somerville, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Fourth Middlesex District.

John H. Clausen of Melrose, Democratic.
Joel Miller of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
George E. Smith of Everett, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Fred Joy of Winchester, Republican.
Frederic R. S. Mildon of Marlborough, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

George G. King of Concord, Democratic.
Frank A. Patch of Boxborough, Republican.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Seventh Middlesex District.

Charles Henry Hanson of Lowell, Republican.
Gardiper W. Pearson of Lowell, Democratic.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Middlesex and Essex District.

Howard K. Sanderson of Lynn, Republican.
Thomas W. Sally of North Reading, Democratic.
Norman A. Torrey of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party.

SENATOR. Mark One.

Second Suffolk District.

William P. Bryant of Boston, Republican.
Peter F. Tague of Boston, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

First Middlesex District.

John C. Daley, Cambridge, Democratic.
James J. Myers of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Second Middlesex District.

Herman Bird of Cambridge, Citizen's.
James Butler of Cambridge, Democratic.
William R. Davis of Cambridge, Republican.
James A. Montgomery of Cambridge, Democratic.
Clement G. Morgan of Cambridge, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Third Middlesex District.

Jonas F. Capolle of Cambridge, Republican.
Cornelius Midhan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fourth Middlesex District.

Daniel S. Coolidge of Cambridge, Republican.
Clarence H. Douglass of Cambridge, Democratic.
Charles P. Keith of Cambridge, Republican.
Thomas F. Mahoney of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fifth Middlesex District.

Albert S. Apsey of Cambridge, Republican.
Joseph Cogan of Cambridge, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Sixth Middlesex District.

John L. S. Connolly of Somerville, Democratic.
Horace C. White of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Seventh Middlesex District.

John N. Ball of Somerville, Republican.
J. Edwin Bradshaw of Somerville, Democratic.
John F. Conch of Somerville, Democratic.
Frank E. Fitts of Somerville, Republican.
George W. Hayes of Somerville, Democratic.
Robert Luce of Somerville, Republican Independent Nom. Paper.
French O. J. Tarbox of Somerville, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighth Middlesex District.

William L. Barber of Somerville, Republican.
Robert T. Brown of Somerville, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Ninth Middlesex District.

Nicholas B. Keyes of Medford, Democratic, Citizens.
J. William Williams of Medford. Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Tenth Middlesex District.

Amos P. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edwin S. Mayo of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
Edward C. Mead of Everett, Republican.
H. Heustis Newton of Everett, Republican.
Fred E. Sauer of Everett, Democratic.
Philip Tworoger of Everett, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Eleventh Middlesex District.

Aaron C. Dowse of Malden, Republican.
George H. Fall of Malden, Republican.
John F. Harrington of Malden, Democratic.
Louis E. Kilday of Malden, Democratic.
William F. Merrill of Malden, Prohibition.
Bernard T. Quinn of Malden, Prohibition.
George G. Saunders of Malden, Prohibition.
William Schofield of Malden, Republican.
John P. White of Malden, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twelfth Middlesex District.

Thomas S. Spurr of Winchester, Democratic.
Samuel W. Twombly of Winchester, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirteenth Middlesex District.

J. Howell Crosby of Arlington, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Fourteenth Middlesex District.

Henry R. Skinner of Watertown, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Fifteenth Middlesex District.

George F. Leslie of Waltham, Republican.
Bernard J. Madden of Waltham, Democratic.
Charles F. A. Smith of Waltham, Republican.
E. Irving Smith of Waltham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Sixteenth Middlesex District.

N. Henry Chadwick of Newton, Republican.
James H. Kenslea of Newton, Democratic.
John T. Langford of Newton, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Seventeenth Middlesex District.

Henry L. Brown of Weston, Republican.
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston, Prohibition.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Eighteenth Middlesex District.

Horace B. Gale of Natick, Republican.
Timothy F. Sullivan of Natick, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Nineteenth Middlesex District.

Charles H. Dowse of Sherborn, Democratic.
Robert H. Leland of Sherborn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twentieth Middlesex District.

Charles D. Lewis of Framingham, Democratic.
Charles J. McPherson of Framingham, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-first Middlesex District.

George Balcom of Marlborough, Democratic.
Lucius P. Hunt of Sudbury, Republican
William M. Brigham of Marlborough, Republican.
George A. Haynes of Sudbury, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-second Middlesex District.

Thomas F. Mahoney of Hudson, Democratic.
Charles H. Persons of Maynard, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-third Middlesex District.

Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford, Republican.
T. Frank Mullin of Ayer, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-fourth Middlesex District.

Edwin A. Hubbard of Ashby, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-fifth Middlesex District.

James H. McKinley of Lowell, Republican.
Frank E. McNabb of Lowell, Democratic.
William J. Quigley of Chelmsford, Democratic.
Martin Robbins of Chelmsford, Republican.
Fred H. Rourke of Lowell, Democratic.
Walter S. Watson of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Three.

Twenty-Sixth Middlesex District.

Patrick H. Barry of Lowell, Democratic.
Arthur H. Cluer of Lowell, Republican.
Richard Dobbins of Lowell, Republican.
Matthew M. Mansfield of Lowell, Democratic.
Francis B. McCarthy of Lowell, Democratic.
George E. Varney of Lowell, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-seventh Middlesex District.

Butler Ames of Lowell, Republican.
John H. Riordan of Lowell, Democratic.
Daniel W. Robbins of Carlisle, Republican.
John T. Sparks of Dracut, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT. Mark Two.

Twenty-eighth Middlesex District

John M. Berry of Reading, Socialist Labor Party.
Michael J. Doyle of Woburn, Democratic.
John A. Johnson of Woburn, Socialist Labor Party.
Robert J. W. Phinney of Woburn, Democratic.
Arthur E. Roberts of Reading, Republican.
Frank E. Wotherell of Woburn, Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Twenty-ninth Middlesex District.

Frederick O. Clark of Wakefield, Republican.
Charles A. Dean of Wakefield, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirtieth Middlesex District.

Fred E. Baker of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.
Walter S. Keene of Stoneham, Republican.
Joshua T. Nowell of Stoneham, Democratic.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. Mark One.

Thirty-first Middlesex District.

Charles H. Adams of Melrose, Republican.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Mark One.

Middlesex County.

Levi S. Gould of Melrose, Democratic, Republican.
Joseph V. Schugel of Woburn, Socialist Labor Party.

SHERIFF. Mark One.

Middlesex County.

(To fill vacancy for remainder of term of three years from first Wednesday of January, 1898.)

John R. Fairbairn of Cambridge, Democratic, Republican.
Alfred E. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.

REFORM LEAGUE

Municipal Measures to Engage Their Attention

AT THE MEETING OF NOVEMBER 15

List of the Leading Lights to Attend

When the National Municipal League convenes for its fifth annual meeting at Columbus, O., on November 15th, the most important business to be transacted will unquestionably be the final adoption of the "Municipal Program," which in its revised and perfected shape represents the labors of seven of the League's ablest minds, covering a period of two years. The responsibility of providing a practical concept of American municipal government was not lightly undertaken. Realizing that the need existed, the committee entered on its work determined to present a broad basis for the reconstruction of governments in cities ripe for reform, and to this end the members have devoted their best efforts. The committee was appointed at the Louisville meeting, in 1897, in accordance with a resolution offered by Horace E. Deming of New York, which was unanimously adopted. Its members include Mr. Deming, chairman; Prof. Frank J. Goodnow of Columbia University; Dr. Albert Shaw of the Review of Reviews, New York; Charles Richardson of Philadelphia; Professor Leo S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania; George W. Guthrie of Pittsburg, and Clinton Rogers Woodruff of Philadelphia.

The committee was admirably chosen. It represents an unusual group of men, free from political prejudices of adequate and effective municipal government. All the research of the league has been at their disposal. They have profited by examples and instances gathered from every city of prominence in the United States. Perhaps no other seven men have had such opportunities of studying municipal conditions in this country, and the program shows that they had a clear insight into the sources of evil. In some respects the program embodies radical changes, but in others the remedy is so simple that one wonders political evils have been endured so long.

Unless an ideal municipality should spring up in a night no city is expected to at once forsake the old order of things and start a new era under the rule of the Municipal Corporation Act, drawn up by the committee. No legislature is expected to at once adopt the constitutional amendment which will change the status of cities within their borders, but the reforms outlined in those instruments will be gradually introduced, and the whole will be the definite object toward which reform movements will be directed.

Every intelligent American knows that the corruption and inefficiency in the rule of all the large cities of the United States is fostered by the form of government, which is calculated to confuse the people and destroy the effectiveness of their protest. Boss rule is made easy by a confusion of responsibility and an unwieldy system of government. The municipal program provides for such remedies as can be applied by legislation, and the American people may be depended on to utilize the remedies for their own good.

The proposed constitutional amendment and the municipal corporations act merit close study, as well as the explanatory papers prepared by members of the committee. The municipal program and all papers relating to it will be bound in one volume after adoption by the national municipal league, and will be distributed wherever good may be accomplished. The committee has endeavored to be concise and definite, but has not burdened the program with details that might apply in some cities and not in others. Wide freedom is given in the administrative organization of cities, but while any attempt at this time to outline the features of the proposed legislation would be futile, a glimpse of its purpose can be gained from a brief reference to its leading features.

The proposed constitutional changes are intended to guarantee local freedom and stability of government, but the municipal corporations act is of more immediate importance, because its essential features can be more easily adopted. Political responsibility is accepted as the guiding principle of reform, and as a logical application, unicameral municipal legislature is recommended. The advantages of two chambers of municipal representatives are believed to be far outweighed by its disadvantages. The system of checks and balances which dominates the national government is believed to be out of place in cities where constitutions provide the checks and where responsible, positive action is wanted. The ideal local legislature is conceived to be the standing committee of the body of citizens, and its election on a general ticket instead of by districts is advocated.

The term of office of councilmen is fixed at six years, and of the mayor at two years, but as one-third of the councilmen are to be elected at each mayoralty election, co-operation of the legislature with the administration is practically assured. The desirability of separating local from national and state elections is strongly emphasized. The system of municipal accounting is revised and perfected. Ample provision is made for civil service rules of an effective type. The sale of municipal franchises is practically prohibited by requiring a four-fifths vote of the members elected to councils and the mayor's approval, and stringent safeguards are set up to prevent the assessment of officeholders or the use of political influence in the securing of appointments. In order that citizens may have a choice of candidates unhindered by party lines, the nomination of candidates for elective municipal offices is to be by petition and not by convention.

Other important provisions are included in the act, which are absent or inadequate in present municipal governments. The effect of each one has been carefully studied by the committee, and it is believed that the municipal program prepared for the National Municipal League will bear the test of practical use. Good government is slow of achievement, but in presenting in concrete form a system free from known faults and calculated to minimize existing evils, the committee and the league have taken a long step toward that end.

Of the seven members of the committee on municipal program, Messrs. Deming, Guthrie and Woodruff are lawyers; Mr. Richardson represents the purely reform element; the academic and professional side is represented by Profs. Rowe and Goodnow, while Dr. Shaw supplied a wide knowledge of municipal conditions in this country and abroad. Some idea of the fitness of these men for the work they were selected to perform can be gained from a brief glance at their achievements.

Mr. Deming is a graduate of Harvard and a well-known New York lawyer. He was active in the old City Reform Club, its successor, the City Club, and is counsel for the Civil Service Reform Association of New York. He was an active spirit in the framing of many of the reform laws now in force in his state, and is an indefatigable worker. His address before the Indianapolis meeting on the committee's report was a superb example of clear and cogent reasoning.

Prof. Goodnow, a graduate of Amherst occupies the chair of administrative law in Columbia university. He is the author of two works on administrative law and of two volumes on municipal corporations. Prof. Goodnow is a patient and thorough investigator and has accomplished practical results by directing many of his pupils to the field of municipal reform.

George W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, is also a college man and is one of the foremost constitutional lawyers in Pennsylvania. Three years ago he was chosen as their reform candidate for mayor of Pittsburg, and was defeated by a narrow margin. He has since been mentioned for governor of Pennsylvania and the United States senate, but he retired from active politics to devote his attention to his profession. In ability to state a legal proposition clearly and concisely Mr. Guthrie has few equals, and his services to the committee have been of great assistance.

Leo S. Rowe is professor of municipal administration in the university of Pennsylvania, of which institution, together with the University of Halle, Germany, he is a graduate. He is a frequent contributor to standard scientific periodicals on topics on which he is considered the best authority of the younger men. Prof. Rowe is also editor of the department of municipal affairs in the Annals of the "American Academy."

Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, is a man of long journalistic experience. At one time he was editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, but of late years he has been connected with magazine work. Two of his publications which have enjoyed a wide circulation are "Municipal Government in Great Britain" and "Municipal Government in Continental Europe."

Clinton Rogers Woodruff is a Philadelphia lawyer and, although still a young man, is one of the most active reformers in the city. He has twice been elected to the state legislature and is now serving his second term. Important reform bills have been framed by him, and in his legislative duties he is always quick to discover and expose the underhand methods by which political leaders work their selfish purposes. Mr. Woodruff's private practice would compel a less industrious man to relax his activity for reform, but by utilizing all his time to the best advantage he manages to keep up with his work. He is counsel for the Municipal League of Philadelphia, and is closely identified with the other reform organizations of his city and state.

To the work of the committee, Charles Richardson of Philadelphia, added a thorough practical knowledge of the need for civil service reform. He was one of the civil service examiners during the term of Mayor Warwick and was considered one of the most valuable members of the board. Mr. Richardson has a rare skill in drafting papers, and his assistance in phrasing the program was of great service. He devotes his time and attention almost exclusively to public affairs. He is persistent and nothing in his work for reform, and it was in answer to his call that the first conference for good government was held, which afterward resulted in the founding of the National Municipal League. With every reform movement in Philadelphia Mr. Richardson has been actively indentified, and by his activity and sagacity has aided to bring about the successes which occasionally demonstrate the power of the people to the politicians of Philadelphia.

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SOCIALIST PARTY

FREEZES OUT THE OLD PARTIES IN HAVERHILL.

The only party caucuses that can now legally be held for the nomination of candidates for the municipal election are those of the Socialist Labor party says the Haverhill Gazette, speaking of the situation in that city. Chairman M. T. Berry of that party, which is now entitled by the vote which it received last year, at the state election to recognition as a political party in the state has filed a petition for the use of the polling places on Thursday evening, Nov. 16. The last day for the filing of caucus and convention nominations is Wednesday, Nov. 22, and the time for filing nomination papers expires, the following Friday. The last day for the holding of conventions for the nomination of candidates is Monday, Nov. 20, and the caucuses must be held at least four days previous to that day. This is Thursday, Nov. 16. The two old-line parties, the republicans and democrats, have been calling caucuses under the state law and this provides that at least two weeks prior to the date for the holding of the caucuses, notice must be filed with the aldermen. As the last day for holding the caucuses, Thursday, Nov. 16, is taken by the Socialist Labor party, the other parties are now unable to call caucuses. The republican city committee met last evening but no action was taken on the holding of party caucuses, and the democratic city committee meets Friday evening, but as they cannot now get in the official two weeks notice, both will be prevented from nominating straight party tickets for the city election. The republican city committee, it is understood, favored the holding of party caucuses, but now as the time limit has expired, nominations will have to be made on nomination papers.

CLOSE OF FAIR.

The concluding night of the Primitive Methodist church fair brought out a large attendance last night and there was good business at the sales tables. Mr. Asa C. Russell presided and at the close he made a short speech in which he presented the society with a check for $25.

John Murphy, a well known young man of Centralville, has gone to Sacramento, Cal., for the benefit of his health.

at Paris. Both have been seen on American tracks.

The fall months are the ideal ones for cycling and it is a foolish wheelman indeed who does not get all the pleasure from them he possibly can. The air is invigorating and the scenery is more beautiful than at any other time of the year, there is none of the discomfort from heat and there is little rain and not much dust on the roads. As riders are usually in the best of condition at this time, it is not unwise to advise them to get as much riding in as they can, stopping, of course, before the danger point is reached. Even the early winter months are very enjoyable if the wheelman will take the precaution to dress well and have an extra garment or two to put on when dismounted. It is well to remember that the little inconvenience of carry a coat is worth several times over a case of a bad cold or possibly pneumonia.

It is understood that the Waverly factory at Indianapolis, Ind., will be largely used for the making of automobiles and bicycle parts the coming season.

ANOTHER DEAL

Louisville Club to Buy the Pittsburg Club

The base ball plot of 1899-1900 was thickened Wednesday by the announcement in a Washington paper that the deal of President Barney Dreyfuss of the Louisville club for the Pittsburg club has been practically consummated. This done, there is little doubt that the pick of the Louisville team will be transferred to Pittsburg, giving the latter city one of the strongest clubs in the country, made up very much as follows: Catchers, Zimmer, Bowerman, and Schriver; pitchers, Leever, Tannehill, Cunningham, Waddell and Phillippe; infield, Wagner, Ritchey and Williams on the bases; Leach, shortstop; outfield, Clarke, Beaumont and Dexter.

Then the Washington club has given an option until Nov. 4 to Michael B. Scanlan of that city. Mr. Scanlan has been interested in the movement to place an American association team in Washington. The option is given on condition that the league magnates assent to the transfer and include Washington in a circuit of twelve or eight clubs, as may be arranged.

With Mr. Dreyfuss in Pittsburg, the way to drop Cleveland ought to be easy. Then the trouble will be in the east, Baltimore would not be hard to rub off the league map as the new association is anxious to take that city, which does not belong to the high-priced circuit, anyway. That would leave nine clubs, Washington, would be the easiest and really is the only city to buy out.

The Boston people have insisted right along that they would not contribute a copper to buy out a club, so that a hitch would take place right there. There never was a time, however, when the 12-club league could be as well reduced to eight clubs as now.

The story about the placing of an American association club in Boston has caused a great stir there and Tommy McCarthy was fairly waylaid yesterday with questions about the new enterprise. Providence parties were closeted with Mr. McCarthy yesterday so that the project to place a club in that city is fairly under way, and it looks as if a delegate would be present at the meeting in New York on Saturday.

The people interested in the new organization have been working very quietly and as much under cover as possible and this has given the impression that there was nothing behind the movement. No one has had less to say than the secretary, Frank Hough, though privately he has expressed the greatest confidence in the success of the organization.

Al Spink, a well known St. Louis writer has been working with might and main in the West. Spink is a great admirer of Tom McCarthy, and will doubtless hail with delight the re-entree of the famous St. Louis favorite into base ball.

CYCLING NEWS

Secretary Sturmy of the International Cyclists' Union has declared that the recent 24-hour record established by Cordang, the Dutch cyclist, will not be recognized officially because the rider was under sentence of disqualification by one of the organizations affiliated with the I. C. A. Cordang does not seem to care about the official decree any more than do some of the Americans, who have broken records under the auspices of the N. C. A. The argument in both cases is that the feat was performed honestly, was well authenticated and has been recognized as a record-breaking performance by a great many persons in the world who never heard about Sturmey in London.

The fact that McDuffee's remarkable record rides were made behind a machine with windshield attachment has, in the yes of many, placed a new estimate upon them. In France all such records are put in a class by themselves and styled "wind-shield records." They class in the sport about the same as Charley Murphy's ride behind a railroad car. While legitimate performances, they prove the possibility of the man and the bicycle, but do not demonstrate the superiority of either the man or the machine over any others.

As the days of the "ordinary" recede further into history, there appears to be increasing interest in the holding of annual runs on such machines. Two New York clubs introduced features of the kind this season and news from Chicago is to the effect that the Chicago C. C., one of the largest cycling organizations in the country will have its ninth annual run or "ordinaries" on November 5th.

A three-mile race between a bicyclist and a gasoline motor carriage was run at the Kewanee, Ill., fair grounds recently. The wheelmen won by a few yards. It was a half mile track and the motor vehicle lost at the turns.

An automatic company has been organized in Hawaii with a capital of $2,000,000 and a charging plant costing $150,000 which is capable of supplying 100 vehicles a day. The company has purchased 30 electric conveyances.

Nat Butler, the handicap king, has decided to retire from racing, has opened a barber shop on Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, and proposes to settle down to business.

Tom Linton has been defeated three Sundays in succession by Edward Taylor

NEW ELECTRIC ROUTE.

At the hearing in the Danvers selectmen's room last week it was brought out that the proposed road from Middleton to Danvers was but a link in the system which is proposed.

The chief aim seems to be to connect the cities of Salem and Lynn with Lawrence and by a much more direct route than any which is now in operation. That there is need of electric communication between the north and south sections of the county is a recognized fact and if the new company steps in and builds its proposed road there is but little doubt of its being well patronized.

The route lays through a sparsely settled country, so that there is nothing to prevent the car from running at a good rate of speed. The run from Salem to Lawrence can be made, undoubtedly in a couple of hours and a little less than that time, or about twice the time taken by the steam cars. Salem and Danvers have but three trains a day to Lawrence and it seems as though there was a good opportunity for the new road to do some business. The ride would be a pleasant one, especially in summer and not a disagreeable one in winter if the road provides the fine, up-to-date rolling stock which it states it will. With the Lawrence and Haverhill, Georgetown and Danvers road in operation it would seem as though Danvers was destined to become quite a railroad centre.

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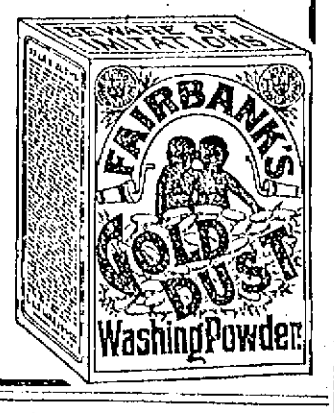

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

Lowell, Nov. 3, 1899.

The copartnership heretofore existing between John W. Duncan and Douglas Firth, under the firm name of Duncan & Firth, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons who are indebted to said firm will make payment to John W. Duncan and all bills owed by said firm will be paid by said Duncan, who will conduct the business on his separate account.

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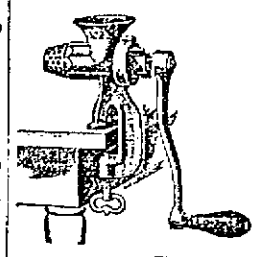

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J. M. Spurr, custom shirt maker at 35 Shattuck street, announces that notwithstanding the disastrous fire of last week he is doing business as usual at the old stand.

Grand lecture on "The Transvaal," by Rev. Fr. Mathew O'Reilly, O. M. I., formerly missionary of Transvaal and Orange Free State, at 7.30 p. m., Nov. 6th at T. M. C. I. hall, on Blackpole street. Admission 25 cents.

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THE INSPECTORS

For County Election Have Been Appointed

A COMPLETE LIST IS GIVEN

One From Each Party for Each Precinct

The following is a list of the state inspectors for the coming election who were commissioned Nov. 1 to serve in this city:

DEMOCRATIC LIST.

WARD ONE.

Precincts.
1—Patrick Owens, 403 Bridge st.
2—Hugh McNeely, 2 rear 117 Lakeview ave.
3—William Hession, 2 rear 182 Lakeview ave.

WARD TWO.

1—Frederick Cox, 223 Adams st.
2—David W. Carroll, 7 rear 119 Lewis st.
3—William Barry, 63 Adams st.

WARD THREE.

1—Bernard A. Connors, 3 Wiggin Pl.
2—Peter F. Brady, 320 Fletcher st.
3—George A. Kelley, 151 Branch st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Joseph T. Tuttle, 48 Kinsman st.
2—Dennis J. Cooney, 58 Linden st.
3—John J. McQuade, 40 Lyons st.

WARD FIVE.

1—William F. McCarthy, 57 Chapel st.
2—William Daley, Jr., 19 Richmond st.
3—Nicholas Scroghan, 83 Pleasant st.

WARD SIX.

1—Matthew Campbell, 18 Jewett st.
2—Bowers F. Hart, 33 Shedd st.
3—James P. McDonald, 207 Cumberland rd.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Owen Mulligan, 9 Bowers st.
2—Frederick F. Welch, 20 Rockdale ave.
3—Daniel J. Murphy, 183 Mount Hope st.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Edward F. Gormley, 31 Washington st.
2—Henry T. Sullivan, 302 Lincoln st.
3—James H. Gray, 23 Ellsworth st.

WARD NINE.

1—Terrence J. Cox, 531 East Merrimack st.
2—Patrick Hammersley, 48 Pond st.
3—William Sullivan, 466 Lawrence st.

REPUBLICAN LIST.

WARD ONE.

1—Samuel Hosmer, 42 Hamilton corp.
2—William B. Wilcox, 845 Bridge st.
3—Edmond Gosselin, 146 Lakeview av.

WARD TWO.

1—John J. Harrington, 91 Prince st.
2—William F. Leahy, 593 Dutton st.
3—John Barrett, 17 First st.

WARD THREE.

1—Joseph Provost, 20 Rock st.
2—George A. Bennett, 51 Marshall st.
3—James Smith, 23 Leroy st.

WARD FOUR.

1—Daniel Lawlor, 95 Appleton st.
2—Robert Burns, Jr., 4 Hale st.
3—Uriah H. Battye, 38 Prospect st.

WARD FIVE.

1—Hector Turnbull, 155 Stackpole st.
2—John P. Moore, 15 Richmond st.
3—George E. Tilton, Jr., 8 East Bleachery st.

WARD SIX.

1—John G. Jackson, 204 Tenth st.
2—Chas. G. Wellbrenner, 67 Thirteenth st.
3—Adelard Guimond, 196 Ludlam st.

WARD SEVEN.

1—Rudolph L. Lupret, 462 Fletcher st.
2—William H. Pritchard, 56 Old Meadow road, West.
3—John Moir, 312 Mammoth rd.

WARD EIGHT.

1—Freeman S. Hersey, 123 Warwick st.
2—William A. Lang, 719 Chelmsford st.
3—Joseph Craig, 30 Congress ave.

WARD NINE.

1—Daniel J. Burke, 28 Fort Hill ave.
2—William E. Westall, 91 Mansur st.
3—George Emsley, 20 Weed st.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 51 MERK ST.

THE POLITICAL FIELD

Democratic Chances are Brighter Than Ever

And the Local G. O. P. is Worried by Reason of Defection in All Sections—Straight Voting by by Democrats Assures Democratic Success

From now until next Tuesday politics will be red hot, for every candidate, democratic and republican, will put in his best and final efforts for success. The last Saturday before election sees a condition of affairs which augurs favorably for the democrats.

It finds the democratic party firmly united, in the first place, not, of course, united to a man, for there is always a certain small amount of cutting, but better united than it was last year, when three democrats were elected to the legislature. Unity is absolutely necessary for democratic success, and this applies to country voters as well as those in the city. The democrats in Chelmsford must vote for Quigley, Rourke and McNabb in order to elect any one of them. It will not do to vote for Quigley alone, for the two blanks cast will mean two half votes for the republicans. The democrats of Dracut and the other towns in the 27th district cannot afford to vote for Sparks and not for Riordan, for every blank recorded means half a vote for the republicans on the ticket and Sparks last year won by only four votes. On the other hand, the voters of wards 4, 7 and 8, the first two particularly, cannot expect success if they vote for Rourke and McNabb and not for Quigley. There is some talk that the democrats of wards 4 and 7 will vote for McKinley, Rourke and McNabb, but such would be fatal to all three and would mean the election of the three republicans, and the democrats, knowing this, are not going to sacrifice their candidates' chances by cutting the ticket. A well-known republican residing in ward 7, who is not a "pipe dreamer," made the statement to The Sun reporter that if the democrats of the entire 25th district will vote straight for their three men they will have a chance to elect all three democrats. The man who made the statement is a man of reliability, and even if it is an exaggeration there will be two if not three democrats elected in the 25th district if the democrats vote straight.

And the above statements are not extravagant when one considers the situation on the other side.

Take McKinley, for instance. He will barely carry ward 7, if he carries it at all, because of his record at city farm. The manner in which he ousted Richardson is not forgotten.

Then there's Mr. Watson, who assisted Ramsay (who is robbing Chelmsford of her rights, Ramsay without Watson and his ward 8 followers could have offered nothing, and the voters of Chelmsford are aware of the fact and will give it to Mr. Watson "in ze neck," while the labor men will remember that Watson worked against the measure for the investigation of the Marlboro strike.

And the third man, Mr. Robbins of Chelmsford, who worked against the movement to establish a cemetery for the French in that town. The French voters of ward seven are out against Mr. Robbins, as a result, and there is a movement against him in ward eight on account of the feeling left over from last year.

Thus each republican candidate in the 25th district will be cut, but as the defection is not concerted no particular democrat is known to be the favored one, and it is thus absolutely necessary that every democratic voter in the district votes the straight ticket.

In the 27th district there is some talk, probably for effect, that the city democrats will vote for Riordan and Ames, but prominent ward 6 and 9 democrats who understand the situation thoroughly state positively that there is no defection in the democratic ranks, and Mr. Robbins of Carlisle and Col. Ames, who registers from "Boston," when out of town, will go down, while Riordan and Sparks will be elected.

The situation in the 26th district is more hopeful than ever. The democrats are united to a man for Mansfield, Barry and McCarthy, but on the other hand we find Mr. Varney the foe of organized labor asking for office in a district made up almost exclusively of laboring people and of that there is more further along. Then there is Mr. Cluer, who tried to defeat Hanson until he was caught at it when he suddenly became a red hot republican and hat among them is Mr. Dobbins, who says "You know, I'm a republican," in order to firmly establish the fact.

So much for the representatives.

In the senatorial field Putnam defeated John L. Hunt, by 500 votes on the returns. But this year there are two different candidates and Hanson is not Putnam and Pearson is not Hunt. Pearson is one of the best vote getters that this city has ever produced, while his opponent is one of the poorest. Pearson is hustling personally, while Hanson depends on his friends, and his friends have fights of their own to contest.

Marcellus H. Fletcher is doing considerable work in the councillor field, and if the laboring people support him having denounced Councillor Howe, the man who caused the great suffering of the Marlboro shoe workers in the Marlboro strike, there is every prospect of him winning. The only way in which the laboring people can defeat Councillor Howe is by voting for Marcellus H. Fletcher. If they cast a blank, Howe will still be elected; if they vote for a third candidate he will also be elected, but if they join with the democrats and vote for Marcellus H. Fletcher, Howe can be defeated.

Councillor Howe has issued a pamphlet on the Marlboro strike for the purpose of boosting his candidacy. It is a lengthy affair and appeals only to the enemies of labor. In this pamphlet I find extracts from a speech made by Mr. Howe at a dinner of the New England Shoe and Leather association in Boston, December 21, 1899, and I commend it to the careful consideration of every organized labor man in the district, as follows:

"The one thing I wish to speak about is this unrest of the laboring people. In the beginning there was some need of organization of the laboring people to protect their interests. I can remember when laborers had to take orders for their work drawn on certain stores where the profit was unreasonably large on the goods; they could get no money except by selling these orders. Today by law the laborer is protected in almost every right that he could be expected to be protected in. He gets weekly payments; there are no orders; there is no chance and no disposition to take undue advantage of labor, and yet from the day he started the organization up to today, these organizations have been growing, little by little, more tyrannical, until today the organization under which shoe workers are laboring has become so tyrannical that the workmen have no right to make personal contracts with the employer. Every effort of mine and my associates is to make the work of the laboring man easy—to improve his condition in every way we can, and altogether to conduct our business in such a way that he will indirectly receive the same benefit from it that we do. And yet they are under an organization which precludes the possibility of my being on intimate terms with those in my employ.

"I have preached more for the past few years to the laboring people at home to try to convince them that the shoe business is like any other legitimate business, governed by the inflexible law of supply and demand, and that their employment depends upon whether I can make a shoe for a cent less than I sell it, and lay by something to carry me through disastrous times. The agents of the union tell me you cannot make the men believe it. Because the agents can't make them believe this is the truth, we are going to try to have them tell our story to the people. We are going to talk to the men ourselves, and, God helping, we will do it (applause); we are not asking from any man anything except what we are willing to grant ourselves. We are going to do this because it is a matter of absolute right. That is what we are standing for in Marlboro, and it is of essential value to every shoe manufacturer of Massachusetts; and while we don't ask any financial aid in our struggle, it does please us when any man lets us know that he appreciates the value of the service that we are rendering to the trade of Massachusetts. (Applause.) It is the spirit of right which animates us, and any man who has the time to say to Mr. Rice, Mr. Frye, Mr. O'Connell or Mr. Howe that they appreciate the work that is being done, it gives us courage to go on and do the thing we are trying to do—break the fetters which bind our workmen to our local labor organizations."

Editor of The Sun:

Will you please give me space in your valuable paper to inform the voters of ward four that Thomas J. Sheehan, the well known plumber with Drury & Green is still a candidate for Overseer of the Poor. A number of his friends think he has withdrawn. This is not true. Mr. Sheehan is still in the field and I am sure that he will be elected to the office for which he is runnin.

Mr. Sheehan is a very popular young man. He is a member of the Burkes, Foresters, Sacred Heart Lyceum and Wentworth Social Club. He has lived in this ward all his life and is known to all the democrats. If the democrats of ward four nominate Mr. Sheehan his election will surely follow.

WARD FOUR VOTER.

"Break the fetters which bind our local workmen to their labor unions."

This is Mr. Howe's great life-work to break up organized labor and yet Representative Varney, the president of the Plush Workers' union of this city voted against an investigation of his methods of breaking it up. Will the laboring people vote for Howe? They say not. But if they do not, how can they consequently vote for Varney, who assisted Howe in his work of breaking up organized labor, nor can they conscientiously vote for Cluer, or Watson, who assisted Howe in "pressing down the crown of thorns upon the brow of labor."

But getting down to municipal affairs, Mr. Daniel McVey, formerly president of the nice farmer's Fagan Debating society, which brought the present city messenger into public life, is a candidate for the common council in ward five. Mr. McVey has labored for years in the interest of other candidates is now going into the field for himself so his friends say. Mr. McVey is known to every one in the ward and to know him, his friends say, is to vote for him. A sterling democrat, a gentleman, a scholar, and a born orator, his chances for success seem to be particularly bright.

Councilman John J. Roark, who seeks a third term in the common council from ward four feels confident that with his fine record behind him he will have no difficulty in attaining his ambition.

Mr. J. Frank Clark, candidate for the common council in ward five is being predicted a winner.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Officers and Members of Prosperity Circle, No. 168, C. of P. of A.

By order of Supreme Executive Committee you are hereby notified to attend a special meeting of said Circle, to be held in Foresters' hall, Middle street, on Monday evening, Nov. 6, 1899, at 7.30 o'clock. EDITH W. PIERCE, Sup. State Deputy.

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FIGHT BY ROUNDS

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Sharkey's head, presumably thinking it too hard, and continued making plays for his body.

In the general mixup for the first three rounds Jeffries had all the better of it. Sharkey began roughing matters in the third round, and banged Jeffries pretty hard in the clinches, holding him with his right and forcing him into a corner with his forearm across his throat.

During the mixup which followed, Jeffries shot his right up under Sharkey's guard, catching him under the chin and dropping him. The sailor remained down, partly dazed, for the first few seconds until I had counted nine, when he arose and stood looking a bit queer. He rushed to a clinch as quickly as possible, and was met with another stiff right-hander under the heart.

It looked bad for Sharkey for two or three rounds after that, Jeffries' heart blows began to tell. He stuck gamely to his work, however, roughing it repeatedly, forcing his elbow across Jeffries' throat, getting his arms around his head and choking him and ramming his head into Jeffries' body.

Jeffries' seconds claimed foul repeatedly, and I was compelled to caution Sharkey quite often. It seemed that every time he was hit he went into it bulldog fashion, banging any old way, and roughing it as much as possible in the clinches. Several times during the fight he hit Jeffries alongside the head after the bell had sounded.

He seemed to become stronger after about the 10th round, and Jeffries, it seemed to me, was becoming weaker. Still, there was not much force in the blows of either. Sharkey swung his left at Jeffries' head time and again, and landed across his neck oftener with his forearm than he did with his glove. While he was doing this, Jeffries kept sticking out his left, reaching Sharkey's face. These blows, it appeared to me, were overlooked by the spectators, who appeared to see only Sharkey's swings.

Sharkey, it struck me, was the stronger of the two around the 14th and 15th round, and had a shade the better of the fighting. I thought, though, that Jeffries might have been holding back, as he would come with a spurt, quite often landing hard.

About this time Jeffries' nose was cut. No doubt a number of the spectators, and probably Sharkey himself, thought he did it with a blow, but it was done with his head. Jeffries stepped in to avoid a blow, and at the same time Tom went in head first and struck him on the nose.

During these rounds Jeffries lay on quite often, but Sharkey offended also by roughing it, hitting Jeffries on the body with his head and getting the strangle hold on him, using the latter to good effect.

The fighting up to this time, considering the advantage that Jeffries had gained in the early part of the fight and the margin in Sharkey's favor after that, was about equal, with, of course, Sharkey receiving the most severe punishment. After that it tamed off a bit, both leading with lefts, Jeffries making good use of his long left.

It was still anybody's fight. Jim braced up after the 20th round and had a shade the better of it for two rounds, although Sharkey would slam in one occasionally. The last three rounds were all in favor of Jeffries, who came with a rush, peppered Sharkey severely, uppercut him repeatedly with his right and had the sailor looking a bit queer.

The 24th round was all Jeffries'. He went at Sharkey heavily, and did the most execution with his right on the body and the head, though he did not overlook letting the left go now and then.

Sharkey, in the meantime was idle. He kept close to his man, and, while he did not land often, avoided a great number of blows by keeping inside of Jeffries left and right. It looked bad for Sharkey about this time, and here is where stamina and endurance showed. He stuck to his work gamely.

In the 25th round both came up fairly strong, and both went at it hard. Jeffries continued his uppercutting, but, unfortunately, toward the end his glove came off, and before I could replace it the gong sounded, calling the end of the round and the fight.

Summing up the fight as a whole, I consider that Jeffries did the cleaner work, while Sharkey roughed it, hit low repeatedly, beside fouling by hitting several times after the bell had rung.

GEORGE SILER.

BOTH MEN'S RECORD

The following are the ring records of Sharkey and Jeffries:

SHARKEY'S RECORD.

1894.

April—Knocked out Jack Langley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.

May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. Three rounds.

May—Knocked out Rough Thompson at Honolulu. One round.

June—Knocked out Nick Burley at Honolulu. Eight rounds.

July—Knocked out George Washington at Honolulu. Two rounds.

July—Knocked out Billy Tate at Honolulu. Four rounds.

1895.

August—Knocked out Sailor Brown at Vallejo, Cal. Two rounds.

August—Nick Mulvihill, at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1896.

April 16—Won from Joe Choynski, San Francisco. Eight rounds.

June 23—Fought a draw with James J. Corbett at San Francisco. Four rounds.

December 2—Won from Bob Fitzsimmons on foul at San Francisco. Eight rounds.

1897.

June 6—Fought a draw with Peter Maher at New York. Seven rounds.

November 15—Won from Joe Goddard at San Francisco. Six rounds.

1898.

November 11—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Eight rounds

May 6—Lost to James J. Jeffries at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

June 23—Knocked out Gus Ruhlin at Coney Island. One round.

November 22—Won from Jim Corbett on a foul at New York. nine rounds.

1899.

January 10—Knocked out "Kid" McCoy at New York. Ten rounds.

Nov. 3.—Lost to Jim Jeffries. Twenty-five rounds.

JEFFRIES' RECORD.

1897.

April 9—Knocked out T. Van Buskirk at San Francisco. Two rounds.

May 19—Knocked out Dick Baker at San Francisco. Nine rounds.

July 17—Fought a draw with Gus Ruhlin at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

November 30—Fought a draw with Joe Choynski at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

1898.

February 25—Won from Joe Goddard at Los Angeles, Cal. Four rounds.

March 22—Won from Peter Jackson at San Francisco. Three rounds.

April 23.—Won from Pete Everett at San Francisco. Three rounds.

May 6—Won from Thomas Sharkey at San Francisco. Twenty rounds.

August 5—Won from Bob Armstrong at New York. Ten rounds.

1899.

June 9—Knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons at Coney Island. Eleven rounds.

Nov. 3.—Won from Tom Sharkey at Coney Island. Twenty-five rounds.

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DROPPED DEAD

DAVID KENDALL, SON OF LATE JONATHAN KENDALL OF THIS CITY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—David Kendall, 31 years of age, member of the New York branch of the firm of Kendall & Co., paint manufacturers of Boston, dropped dead in the corridor of the Hotel Cadillac at 3.30 yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by heart disease. Mr. Kendall appeared to be in robust health.

He was a son of the late Jonathan Kendall, paint manufacturer of Lowell, Mass.

The body will be shipped to Boston.

MEETING OF IRISHMEN.

A meeting of local Irishmen, interested in the work of Lord Mayor Tallon and John E. Redmond toward establishing a Parnell monument fund, will be held in the Washington Tavern tomorrow afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to have the distinguished Irishmen address the Irish of Lowell.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

A business and social meeting of the Lowell High school alumni was held in Union hall last night. President A. E. Ellis presided. Only routine business was transacted. The following program was carried out: Piano solo, Miss Jane C. McKinley; vocal solo, Mr. John Coyne; reading, Miss Mary Falvey, quartette, Misses D. M. Graham, Annie Paulson and Messrs. E. J. Webster and John Coyne; speech, Mr. A. E. Ellis; solo, Miss Paulson; stump speech, Frank Rawnsley; solo, Miss Falvey; remarks, E. J. Webster.

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2

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The envious gazed in dismay,
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3

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